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POWERS MAY ASSIST CHINESE

INCREASING ANTAGONISM TO JAPANESE

League Opening Way For Some Method Of Intervention

PACIFIC POWERS NOW EXPECTED TO CONSULT

Geneva, Oct. 5.

It is now expected, with the action of the League of Nations' Committee of Twenty-three opening the way for combined assistance to China, that Pacific Powers will presently meet in London, and that they may be able to give some effective aid to China.

The Committee of Twenty-Three, which met to-day, adopted both reports of its Drafting Committee.

Poland abstained from voting because she felt that the rule of procedure had been neglected and that a dangerous precedent was being established. Canada and Switzerland also abstained from voting, delegates desiring time to consult their governments.

Mr. W. J. Jordan, the New Zealand representative, revealed that he had submitted an amendment to the Committee of Thirteen recommending: "That Member states shall consider how to deter Japan from continuing her present form of aggression." The amendment was rejected by Australia, Holland, Britain, France, and supported by the Soviet and China, while six States abstained from voting. Mr. Jordan also declared that the words at the end of the report and the resolution, "They should also consider how far they can individually extend aid to China," were suggested by Lord Cranborne of Great Britain.

Nine-Power Action Urged

After quickly adopting the reports of the Drafting Committee and the Sub-Committee, the Committee of Twenty-Three adopted the following resolution, and immediately submitted it to the League Assembly, which to-night will consider this advice:

"The League Assembly approves of the proposals contained in the second report of the Committee, and requests the President to take necessary action in regard to the proposed meeting of members of the League which are parties to the Nine-Power Treaty; expresses moral support for China; recommends that members of the League should refrain from taking any action which might have the effect of weakening China's power of resistance, thus increasing her difficulties in the present conflict; that they should also consider how far they can individually extend aid to China."

The resolution announces the decision to adjourn the present session, and authorizes the President to summon a further meeting at the request of the Advisory Committee.

No Opposition Expected

The resolution, which is expected to pass the Assembly without opposition, is much more favourable for China than seemed likely at one time, and there is ground for belief that President Roosevelt's speech in Chicago influenced the decision.

Now it is expected that with this approval, a meeting of the Pacific Powers, which will probably be held in London in the near future, will be able to give some effective aid to China.—Reuter.

Another Step Forward

Geneva, Oct. 5.

The Sub-Committee of Thirteen (Continued on Page 4)

Washington Withholds Comments

Reaction To League Proposals Cannot Yet Be Disclosed

Washington, Oct. 5.

The State Department withholds comment and refuses to indicate what the United States Government's attitude is, pending action by the League's Advisory Committee and the Assembly itself, on the proposal that the Advisory and Drafting Committee invite the United States and other signatories to the Nine-Power Treaty to consider the Sino-Japanese conflict.

Failure of the former Secretary of State, Mr. H. L. Stimson, to obtain British co-operation in invoking the Pact during the Manchurian conflict, and the possible complications under the Neutrality Law, are believed to be two important factors which have so far been governing the State Department's course.—Reuter.

ANXIETY ALLAYED

London, Oct. 5.

The Admiralty to-day allayed possible anxiety felt by relatives and friends of the officers and men serving on the Yangtze River patrol "owing to the uncertainty of the despatch and reception of mails from His Majesty's ships," when it stated that the Rear-Admiral in charge of the Yangtze patrol had sent a message:

"The personnel of His Majesty's ship Capetown and the river gunboats are suffering no hardships and very little inconvenience with regard to supplies."—Reuter.

Roosevelt Abandons Isolationism



BRITISH BRIDGE CLOSELY GUARDED

When air raid alarms sound over Canton, volunteer police and regulars rush to the British bridge. French troops in the French bridge, to guard against an invasion of the concessions by panic-stricken crowds. Here the non-militant guards are pictured just after an alarm was sounded and the bridge had been closed.

CANTERBURY'S ARCHBISHOP PRESIDES WHEN BRITISH PUBLIC PROTESTS TO JAPAN

BANDITS BATTLE BRAVELY

Fight Japanese Beside Former Nanking Troops

Peiping, Oct. 6.

The Japanese claim a further advance in Shansi, and the capture of the walled town of Chunhsien, 70 miles north of Taiyuanfu, following a twelve-hour battle with 10,000 troops of the former Communist army.

All available Japanese troops in the Peiping area, with tanks and artillery, were thrown into the action against Chinese irregulars to the west of this city yesterday. The irregulars are harassing the Japanese from the hills and it was there they fought.

These irregulars are mainly men of broken Chinese regiments, defeated in earlier battles, reinforced by professional bandits, hard fighters all of them. Altogether they number about 2,000.

Although they fought with courage, resisting stubbornly with machine-guns, they were swept back into the mountains and west of Nankow Tsin, with the loss of about 100 dead and 60 captured.

Villages cleared of these irregulars are now flying the Japanese flag.—Reuter.

Fierce Fighting Near Tientsin

Tientsin, Oct. 6.

Fierce fighting is raging in the vicinity of Tientsin where the Chinese, against odds, are still holding the town.

Conscience Cannot Be Silenced

London, Oct. 5.

Every available seat in the Albert Hall was occupied to-day when the Archbishop of Canterbury presided at a public meeting to protest against Japanese aggression in China.

Before the meeting a film entitled "Bombs Over China," depicting scenes in the war zones, was shown. The Archbishop said they welcomed the protests made by the British and United States Governments, but hitherto there had been no opportunity for the mass of ordinary citizens in England to express what was moving strongly their hearts and their consciences.

After making all allowances for exaggerations, which are inevitable in the dire circumstances of war, there remained only too much cause for their sense of dismay and horror, and after all, in terms of human suffering, hundreds are an eloquent as thousands, he said.

Referring to the protest made to the Archbishop by Tokyo regarding his presence at the meeting, the Archbishop said: "I must needs have special relations and friendship with Japanese Christians. I know many of them are distressed at my being here this evening, and I wonder indeed how far they know the facts as have reached us in this country. But even between friends, conscience cannot be silenced and conscience forbids us to maintain silence which might be taken to mean acquiescence."

The Archbishop added: "We make our appeal to the Government and people of Japan to restrain the actions of the naval and military commanders in China, and thus vindicate themselves among the civilized nations."—Reuter.

Asks For World Action

London, Oct. 6.

The people of China were promised to send their last drop of blood to world action, and to stand with the Chinese people in their struggle against Japanese aggression, speaking at a meeting at the Albert Hall to-day in connection with the League of Nations Conference.

"It is the hope of the Chinese people that all powers in the world will use their power to help China to defend herself," he said.

Chinese reinforcements are being (Continued on Page 4)

Organising Relief Fund For China

London, Oct. 5.

It is announced, with the approval of the Government, that the Lord Mayor of London is organising with the co-operation of the Governor of the Bank of England a fund for the relief of the Chinese.

The appeal states that the Lord Mayor is taking steps to organise the fund in the city of London in order that prompt and sufficient help may be given the people in China who are enduring untold suffering as a result of the hostilities in their country. It calls attention to the large number of British subjects affected.

A small committee will be formed representing all departments of financial and commercial life.—Reuter.

BRITISH SUFFERERS TO BE AIDED

London, Oct. 5.

With reference to the Chinese relief appeal issued in the first instance by Sir Abe Bailey and subsequently supported by leading church dignitaries in England, which has been addressed to the public, it is clearly shown that British sufferers are to be included among those who receive relief.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS

Canton All-Clear

Canton, Oct. 6.

The all-clear signal was given at 6.15 a.m. No planes remained in the city.—Reuter.

Head For Railway

Canton, Oct. 6 (10.15 a.m.)

Twenty-five Japanese planes have been spotted over the north-west of Canton, apparently heading for the Canton-Hankow Railway.—Reuter.

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ASKS NATIONS TO UNITE IN PEACE EFFORT

Frankly Condemns All War-Making Powers

EPIDEMIC OF LAWLESSNESS REQUIRES "QUARANTINE"

Chicago, Oct. 5.

Warning that the United States may be attacked if the developing "international anarchy" thrives unchecked, President Franklin D. Roosevelt deliberately aimed a bristling speech at the nations involved in the Spanish war and proposed that "concerted" action be taken by peace-loving nations to maintain justice throughout the world.

His targets could scarcely be mistaken. He was referring, it seemed, to the Spanish and Sino-Japanese situations.

President Roosevelt suggested a "quarantine" of offending nations, asserting: "The epidemic of world lawlessness is spreading. When an epidemic of physical disease starts to spread, a community approves and joins in a quarantine of patients in order to protect the health of the community against a spread of the disease."

CONCERTED ACTION FOR PEACE ADVISED

Roosevelt Makes Clear Appeal To U.S. People

Isolationism Abandoned

Chicago, Oct. 5.

The peace, freedom and security of ninety per cent. of the world's population are jeopardised by the remaining ten per cent., declared President F. D. Roosevelt in the major speech of his so-called "pulse feeling" trip across the country. To-night he asserted that the high aspirations of the Briand-Kellogg Pact had given way to the haunting fear of calamity. The reign of terror and lawlessness had reached a stage where the very foundations of civilization were being threatened.

Without a declaration of war, without warning or justification, civilians, including women and children, were being ruthlessly murdered by bombs from the air. President Roosevelt said that the United States was not going to take any action which might have the effect of weakening China's power of resistance, thus increasing her difficulties in the present conflict; that they should also consider how far they can individually extend aid to China.

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RUTHLESS MURDER

In jabbing sentences, President Roosevelt arranged, without naming, the nations which "injured international equilibrium."

"Without a declaration of war, without a warning or justification of any kind, civilians, including women and children, are being ruthlessly murdered with bombs from the air," he declared.

"The times of so-called peace when we have been attacked and humiliated by submarines without cause or notice. Nations are tormenting and taking sides in civil wars in countries that have never done them any harm. Nations claiming freedom for themselves deny it to others," he complained.

INNOCENTS SACRIFICED

Innocents are being sacrificed to the greed for power and vengeance, which are devoid of all justice, the President went on. "The reign of terror and lawlessness began a few years ago. There must be positive endeavours to prevent peace."

"America hates war. American hopes for peace. Therefore American policy is directed to the removal of the causes of war."

MUST STRIVE TOGETHER

"If we are to have a world in which we can live in peace, we must strive together to maintain justice throughout the world." (Continued on Page 10)

SUITS



Necklines are high, whether in the double-breasted bolero type of jacket or in the hip-length fitted jacket. Width is maintained at shoulders, introduced at hips by slanting pockets.

It may sound paradoxical, but according to the new Paris line you must look broad and slim at the same time! That is to say, there is still the breadth at the shoulders that we have had throughout the beginning of the year, and this breadth has now been extended to the hips as well.

You may still indulge in a bust, and sometimes in a waist, too, but you must look very slim through from front to back, especially below the belt.

And with this new line the breadth of the shoulders is, for the most part, achieved differently from previously. In the collar of ten it is the collar on the coat, and not padded shoulders or big sleeves that give the necessary width. Collars are immensely important again, instead of being practically non-existent. There are many new collarless necklines now on the coats and jackets of autumn, or full length coats.

Hay Diet Hints Ice Creams And Sundaes Need Watching

What are basic foods? Hay, fruits and vegetables are known as basic foods. They contain the strongest energy and life-giving chemicals and are alkaline in their reaction.

At which meals is ice cream permitted in the Hay Diet? Ice cream served at a protein meal should be made with cream and eggs, not milk and eggs. Any flavouring is permitted but no sugar. For a starch meal cream and egg yolks, brown sugar and any flavouring except acid fruits.

Are fruit sundaes allowed in the Hay Diet? Ice cream made with egg yolks and cream and flavoured with vanilla or cherry may be garnished with sliced lemon, chopped nuts, raisins and blue cherries, or with fruit sauce, chopped nuts and acid fruits. No sugar or chocolate should be used if acid fruits or fruit sauce is served.

Is acidity really possible? The word indicates a preponderance of acids in the body which is not possible as it could not exist in a state of actual acidity. The state is now currently supposed as deficient alkalinity. A healthy body is 80 per cent. alkaline and 20 per cent. acid.

Belts Locked On

METALLIC fasteners which were once such a novelty are now used with abandon. Buckles and even gloves are fastened in the same way. In the front of the back of the new light waisted suits, buckles fasten the trousers, and buckles in the form of buttons are fastened upon the waist belt.

COUNT THE
"TELEGRAPHS"
EVERYWHERE

JACKETS

Shoulders just squared, extra breadth given by wide collars and revers, which often stand out beyond the shoulders.

Hip length and waisted, and also loose box type. Boleros both double and single breasted. Mostly high front fastenings.

SKIRTS

Length midway between knee and calf. Line, slightly flared; also tube-like, sometimes pleated.

WAISTS

Mostly normal, but some are on the slope, rather high in front and low at the back; belts are mostly narrow, or skirts are built up and beltless. Over-boleros and waistcoat-boleros are much more seen than tuck-in-boleros.

SLEEVES

Various, but in the tailored suits long and slim. The boleros that go with them may have sleeves any length between mid-upper arm and long to the wrist. These are sometimes full into a narrow cuff.



Black skirt worn over check frock. Skirt slit at each side to show checka slipped at left side to waist. When removed leaves check dress complete.

and make quite sure that we could not fail to notice them.

The pockets are usually diagonal and just below the waistline at each side in front. Chanel uses these pockets in the skirts of suits, day frocks and even evening dresses. Chanel's favourite jacket is a double-breasted bolero with a high V fastening and rather high V fastening in front.

Her new skirt is a slightly flared one with a wide front seam, often creased in order to accentuate it, and a rather narrow and slightly pointed at the back. There are no pleats in this collection.

Creed, on the other hand, clings to the broad shoulder, and adds the important revers as well, and his skirts are either short and straight, or with fullness or pleats in the back.

He also shows jackets with fullness at the back, several long short box coats, and many light-fitting jackets. Cuffs, pockets, collars, buttons, belts and lapels are all varied and of much interest in this collection.

SUITS are much worn under top coats. Another idea is a dress of red, blue and white check design on a black ground; over this there is a plain black skirt slit up each side to well above the knee, and over that again a black overcoat. The skirt is zipped up one side and can be taken off in a jiffy. Marcel Rochas introduced more colour into his Collection than any other I have seen so far.

He has given a second lease of life to the suit with pencil skirt of plain material and little waisted jacket of a patterned material. A suit with plain leaf green tweed skirt has a little fitted jacket of green and white check with two hip and two breast pockets. The pockets, collar and revers are piped with wine purple and a purple silk scarf is tucked into the front. Jackets and coats mostly fasten rather high in front.

Another of Rochas's tweed ensembles has a high length box coat of pale blue colour with wine check, blue belt and fitted jacket, the back, sleeves and yoke front are made of the check material, and the middle of the front of the plain blue.

In this Collection, which is a big one, there are the newest black suits of face cloth or woolen, very beautifully tailored. One has a four-inch band of brightest blue let in at the waist in the jacket with two hip pockets part and parcel with it. Another is trimmed with two perpendicular rows of narrow purple braid each side of the front panel on the skirt and a row of the braid on the jacket too. Others have collars of brightest royal blue velvet, or wine purple velvet.

Royal blue and wine purple are Rochas's favourite colour alliance this season, especially with black.

OUR INQUIRY BUREAU

Don't Let "Boy" Slop Polish Over Furniture

Is there any way of cleaning stained mica lampshades?

Wash in warm soapy water and while still damp rub the stains gently with a very little whiting of fine chalk. Rinse and dry well. Polish with a soft cloth.

Can you tell me why a cake sometimes bolls up in the middle?

If the oven is too hot the gluten in the flour sets firmly before the air in the cake has had time to expand. As the gluten becomes warm the air expands and forces its way up, pushing the surface crust and the hot mixture containing the expanded air bolls out. Too small a tin can sometimes give a similar result. The hot air accumulates in the centre of the cake, forcing its way out. Instead of being evenly distributed, and when sufficiently hot forces its way out.

What causes marzipan to go oily and crumbly? Use only the best quality of ground almonds as the inferior varieties sometimes contain peanuts and they are inclined to give an oily texture. Mix the ground almonds with icing sugar or a mixture of icing sugar and castor sugar and handle as little as possible. Never squeeze the mixture in the hands and knead with the fingers only.

Can you suggest a method of preventing the "boy" from putting too much furniture polish on everything? He always leaves a sticky surface. Insist that he uses a clean cloth which has been wrung out lightly in warm water. This will prevent him from putting too much polish on the cloth. Remove the existing stickiness from the furniture first with a little vinegar and water.

Dinner For Two

DISHES FOR THOSE TETE-A-TETE MEALS

By Lucille Bellair

CATERING for a small family—two people, maybe—has its disadvantages, because most of the larger joints are "ruled out." There is however much variety in the method of cooking dishes which are otherwise quite ordinary.

Cutlets, for instance, are an excellent choice for a small family, and you can either make them of boned and trimmed chops, or they may be cut from an under-done leg of roast or boiled lamb of mutton. Slices should be of even thickness shaped to look like short neck chops. They may be egg and crumbed and served with a good sauce or puree, or they may be cooked in various other ways.

PREPARE a well seasoned and sufficiently thick mince of cooked onions and let it get cold. Trim some cutlets, season, and dip them in butter. Fry them on one side, cooked side with a layer of the minced onion. Sprinkle fine bread-crumbs over them, and brush lightly with oiled butter. Make some butter hot in a fireproof dish, and place the cutlets in, uncooked side down. Finish cooking them in a hot oven, letting the upper surface brown.

Sand to table in the dish in which they were cooked, and with a tureen of good brown gravy.

LARD the cutlets with bacon, gherkins, and fillets of anchovies. Put them for an hour and a half in a marinade of oil, chopped chardons or onions, parsley, sweet herbs, pepper and salt. Then wrap them in thin slices of bacon fat, and cook them in a saucepan in the marinade. Put a lump of butter in a small saucepan with some chopped shallots, parsley, and a little flour. Stir for a minute or two.

Skim the marinade in which the cutlets were cooked and add to it the butter and flour with two or three tablespoonfuls of brown gravy. Stir, boil for a minute, finish with a little lemon juice, pour over the cutlets and serve.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE

Without Calomel—And You'll Jump Out of Bed Full of Vim and Vigor.

The liver should pour out two pints of bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food cannot digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas builds up and you get constipated. Your whole system is poisoned and you feel sour, sick and the world looks blunt. Laxatives are only maskers. A mere bowel movement doesn't get at the cause. It takes those famous Carter's Little Liver Pills to get these two pints of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up." Harmless, gentle, yet amazing in making bile flow freely. Look for the name Carter's Little Liver Pills on the red package. Refuse anything else.

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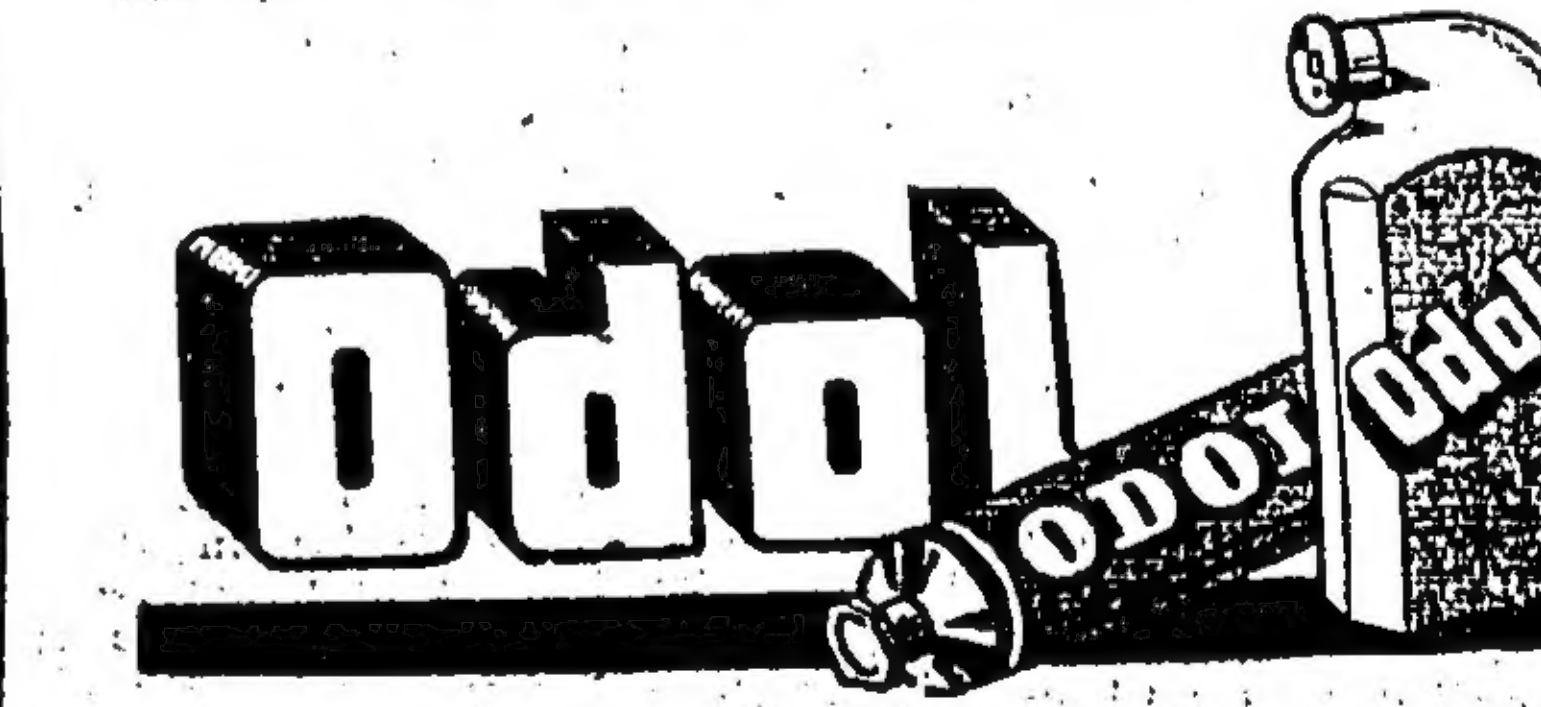


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Course In The Things To Do

THE social "do's and don'ts" in the life of a British naval officer have often puzzled the new-comer promoted from the lower deck. Lack of knowledge on the subjects of dress and custom sometimes leads to "awkward moments" for him. Now all that is to be changed.

Successful ratings are to attend lessons, prepared by the Admiralty, on naval etiquette. Under the new promotion scheme recently announced, promising young seamen will have a nine months' special course about, but for their grounding in etiquette they will receive instruction at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich.

There they will live the life of an acting sub-lieutenant.

TWELVE UNIFORMS

The would-be officer will be taught, for example, the correct dress to wear for the fifty-seven separate types of occasion envisaged by the Admiralty and set out in the Appendix to the Navy List.

These occasions range from the reception of royalty to an afternoon tea dance, from a court-martial to spending a Sunday ashore in the tropics, from a funeral to boarding a foreign warship.

He will be taught every detail of his twelve uniforms (says the Sunday Express), which are styled:—

Full dress.	Mess dress.
Ball dress.	White full dress.
Formal dress with epaulettes.	White dress.
Formal dress.	White mess dress.
Formal dress.	White mess dress.
Formal dress.	White mess dress.
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He must know when it is the "correct thing" to wear medals, in what order they are to be worn, and what kind of necktie, socks and shirt go with each uniform.

IF HE IS LATE

He will find it against King's Regulations to wear jewellery with uniforms.

At fancy dress balls "officers are not to wear naval uniforms except

at those given by the Governor of Malta. They are not prohibited, however, from appearing at fancy dress balls elsewhere in naval uniform of a date anterior to 1843."

If an officer is late in attending mess dinner, he must go up to the president of the table and ask to be excused before he sits down.

HIS PRIVILEGE

He must go through the same procedure if he wishes to leave during the dinner. But this does not apply to other meals.

As a naval officer he is privileged to remain seated when the loyal toast is drunk. No lady's name may be mentioned in conversation until the loyal toast has been drunk.

If any officer indulges in unpleasant language in the mess room he can be called to order by the president and fined a round of drinks.

If he has been commended a sub-lieutenant his wine bill on board must not exceed two pounds a month. Nor will he be allowed to drink more than a certain number of whiskies a day, generally about two or three for a young officer, according to the rule made by the captain.

ON MARRIAGE

All mess-room debts have to be settled by the end of the month.

The new officer must know the intricacies of saluting other members of the ship's company, whom to address as "Sir" and whom as "Mr."

There is no excuse for not recognising an officer in plain clothes.

If he wishes to be married, he must sign a naval wedding form and state whether he or his fiancée is a divorced person.

He is forbidden to grow a beard without the captain's permission. If it is granted, he must grow a moustache with it. But he cannot grow a moustache alone.

An Admiralty official told me, "The etiquette may sound formidable to a layman, but the man to be promoted will have already had three years' drill and will soon be at home with his new social duties."



Valentina Ryabtschenko who is smiling from the pilot seat in her plane, is the first woman aviation instructor of the Ukraine. She teaches at an aviation school in Charkov.

£1,000-A-Year Women With No One To Wed

THE problem of the £1,000-a-year woman of business who "did not wish to give up her work to marry, and yet wished to bear children," was discussed by Mr. St. John Ervine, the dramatist, at the Modern Churchmen's Conference at Cambridge recently.

Farouk Gives Fiancee £10,000

By A Correspondent

CAIRO. FARIDA ("PEARLESS"). ZULFIKAR, bride-to-be of King Farouk of Egypt, received from him recently, on her sixteenth birthday, a cheque for £10,000 and a note expressing his wishes. A party was held in the afternoon at the King's summer palace at Montaza, six miles from Alexandria, where Farida has often played with King Farouk's sisters and where the wedding will probably be celebrated next year.

Farida is busy preparing her trousseau, which Farouk insists must be of purely Egyptian material and workmanship.

When Food Disagrees With Your Baby.

Nothing is more common in childhood than indigestion which is generally caused by errors in diet—the delicate organs of a young child are quick to rebel if his food is unsuitable, or if he has over eaten.

To correct the trouble and quickly to restore happy well-being there is nothing better than Baby's Own Tablets. The gentle laxative action of the tablets clears the intestines of the offending matter, and sweetens the stomach. Careful attention to diet and an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets thereafter will keep the little one free from digestive disorders.

Even the most fastidious parents may use Baby's Own Tablets with full confidence for they are the prescription of a doctor who made a special study of children and their ailments. Equally good for the prompt and effective correction of minor health upsets, constipation, colic, diarrhoea, simple fever, colds, croup, to expel worms and ease the pain of teething, the ideal home remedy for your little ones is

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"You have every right to be, Mrs. Evans, I can see a wonderful improvement since you took my advice about 'California Syrup of Figs'."

"I could tell from what you said that there must be toxin in their systems. When children are cross and peevish and lose interest in their food and games, you can be practically sure it's an accumulation of poisonous matter upsetting their insides. I've seen it so often! Just cleanse the system in a safe, natural way, children go ahead like wildfire."

"But do be sure always to give them 'California Syrup of Figs.' It's a natural fruit laxative which safely cleanses and purifies the bloodstream and creates a fine healthy appetite. Keep on with the weekly dose of 'California Syrup of Figs,' Mrs. Evans. It's a fine laxative for young and old. As a matter of fact I use it myself and advise you to adopt it for the whole family. Be sure to get the genuine 'Calfs Lungs Syrup of Figs.'"

California Syrup of Figs.

It was not easy for such a woman to marry, even if she wished, he said, for her ability and disposition removed her from the ranks of those to whom men who still had their way to make dared aspire. A man of her own position was probably married already.

"I do not think I am exaggerating," he went on, "when I say that many successful unmarried business women are enjoying extra-marital rights."

"This arrangement is bad since it deprives the State of the children of women who, more than many women, ought to be mothers."

"Marriage is still the chief occupation open to women, but it is not now almost the only one they may follow, nor the one to which all of them aspire."

MATCH MAKING MOTHERS

"Nor do young ladies now consult their mammies morning, noon and night on the number of eligible gentlemen in their neighbourhood."

"Such scenes as are common in 'Pride and Prejudice,' in which the daughters of the household are distraught lest a young man should elude them, and a mother is in tears because her husband will not steal a march on other fathers by getting his call on a wealthy young bachelor in first, are inconceivable to-day, though matchmaking mothers are not yet extinct."

"The attack on the family may best be met by making family life possible for those who desire it, but to whom it is denied by economic conditions."

"The generality of women ardently desire to have a husband and a home and children, but the want of materialism which is sweeping over the world makes the fulfilment of their desire more and more difficult."

LATE MARRIAGES

"The age of marriage tends more and more to be deferred in those classes where it ought to be put forward; nor is this tendency reduced where the woman is earning her living and intends to continue doing so after her marriage."

"The skilled workman marries later than the unskilled, and has fewer children. In all ranks superior to those of the working-class, except perhaps among the well-to-do, marriage is late and families are small. Families of one or two children are common, and becoming more common."

"In some great business organizations, such as banks, clerks are forbidden to marry until they are earning £200 a year—which an official in the provinces may not reach until after 30. I have heard of a bishop who forbade curates to marry before they are in receipt of a certain salary."

"This causes a postponement of matrimony, which is unfortunate if, as I have, a leading German neurologist, asserts, the best age for marriage is for the man 25 for the man and 21 for the woman."

Just another 5 minutes — wish I didn't always wake so tired. Those wretched directors are meeting this morning too!

All their happiness depended on him.

Oh, Mr. Martin! I had to send that report into the directors' meeting without you seeing it. Sorry couldn't wait. But I checked it carefully.

THINKS: Very efficient — but not your job, young man!

MEANWHILE IN THE DIRECTORS' MEETING: But, my dear sir, Martin looks half asleep all day. If the younger man can do the job better, Martin must take the consequences. I'll talk to Martin.

THAT NIGHT: Their happiness depends on my job. The directors are right, I am half asleep. I'll simply have to see a doctor about this wretched tiredness.

THE DOCTOR SAYS: It's this waking tired that's holding you back! Even during sleep, heartbeats and other automatic actions go on using up energy. Unless energy's replaced during sleep, of course, you wake tired — Night Starvation! I advise Horlicks.

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MESSAGERIES MARITIMES CO.
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No. 11 AEO/37

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Hongkong, 2nd October, 1937.

NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGESWAN, CULBERTSON &
FRITZ LATEST REPORTS

New York, Oct. 5.
S. C. & F. Dow Jones Summary of yesterday's markets:

The market broke from two to eight points to reach new lows since 1929. The situation has been unsettled by President Roosevelt's warlike remarks in his speech at St. Paul. Steels reacted to group operations and a report that steel prices had been slashed. There was continued local selling and all traders and some foreign sources are making further selling offers. Bonds were lower, with United States bonds irregular. Curb stocks were weak.

S. C. & F. New York correspondent cables:
Stocks: The market was again under heavy pressure and is likely to work lower. Bank of America for the week totalled \$14,804,000.00. Stocks to the value of \$49,034,000.00 were shown on the Big Board of the New York Stock Exchange as of October 1st.

Cotton: The Government revision of the loan provisions to include lower grades and shorter staple is a constructive factor, but increasing crop estimates and the weakness of the stocks market is off-setting the benefit derived therefrom. The New York Cotton Exchange estimates a 500,000-bale increase in foreign growths to 20,000,000 bales.

Wheat: Exports were disappointing. Russia is reported again to be offering. An average of private estimates of the Spring Crop shows 193,000,000 bushels.

Corn: The market is two-sided, pending the adjustment of the new crop bails. An average of private estimates shows a crop of 2,594,000,000 bushels.

Rubber: The Japanese ban on imports and foreign dealer selling were unfavorable factors. Buying interest was small.

Sugar: There was considerable liquidation on an empty market in sympathy with the general weakness of the European markets. There is no definite news of the Sugar Conference, except for an announcement that the meeting is proceeding normally.

Wall Street Journal Morning Comment:
The Street is awaiting indications that the trade recession has been halted. The Street was disappointed with regard to the action of railroad stocks, since it had been anticipated

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The numbers of the Debentures drawn will be published in the Hongkong Government Gazette and the local Newspapers, and holders of drawn Debentures may, upon giving notice to the Treasurer, Messrs. Goddard and Douglas, to the principal and interest to the 31st October, 1937.

By Order of the Committee.
A. K. MACKENZIE,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, 5th October, 1937.

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U.S. COMMODITY
PRICESLATEST CABLED
QUOTATIONS

New York, Oct. 5.
The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuters:

New York Cotton		
	Opening	Closing
October	8.43/43	8.39/39
December	8.22/21	8.13/14
January	8.12/12	8.05/05
March	8.15/13	8.07/07
May	8.18/17	8.09/09
July	8.17/10	8.08/08
Spot	8.45	8.45

The last Notice Day for October Cotton is October 15.

New York Rubber		
	Opening	Closing
October	17.34/32	17.20/22
December	17.33/38	17.23/23
January	17.33/32	17.23/23
March	17.50/50	17.39/39
May	17.52/52	17.47/47
July	17.52/52	17.47/47
September	17.52/52	17.47/47

Sales for the day: 5,020 tons.

Chicago Corn		
	Dec.	May
107 1/100%	105 1/100%	105 1/100%
107 1/100%	106 1/100%	106 1/100%
107 1/100%	106 1/100%	106 1/100%

Monday's Sales: 15,301,000 bushels.

Chicago Wheat		
	Dec.	May
63 1/4/63 1/4	61 1/4/61 1/4	62 1/4/62 1/4
63 1/4/63 1/4	61 1/4/61 1/4	62 1/4/62 1/4
63 1/4/63 1/4	61 1/4/61 1/4	62 1/4/62 1/4

The First Notice Day for December Grains is Nov. 30 and the last day Dec. 28.

Winnipeg Wheat		
	Oct.	Dec.
120 1/4/120 1/4	123 1/4/123 1/4	123 1/4/123 1/4
120 1/4/120 1/4	123 1/4/123 1/4	123 1/4/123 1/4
120 1/4/120 1/4	123 1/4/123 1/4	123 1/4/123 1/4

The last Notice Day for October Winnipeg Grains is October 30.

that a settlement of the wage question would stimulate buying. Wall Street is of the opinion that the market has now discounted most of the unfavourable developments.

Dow Jones Averages Oct. 4 Oct. 5.
30 Industrials 152.19 144.08
20 Rails 40.43 38.68
20 Utilities 23.82 22.80
40 Bonds 98.04 97.40
11 Commodity Index 60.02 58.76

POWERS MAY ASSIST
CHINESE

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has approved the report of its Drafting Committee and a meeting of the full Committee of Twenty-Three has been summoned for this evening.

The following are the Sub-Committee's conclusions:

"It is clear the two countries (China and Japan) take different views as regards the underlying grounds of the dispute, and the incident which led to the outbreak of hostilities; but it is unchallengeable that powerful Japanese armies have invaded Chinese territory and have obtained military control of large areas, including Peking itself; that the Japanese have taken naval measures close to the coast of China and to Chinese shipping; and that Japanese aircraft are carrying out bombardments over widely separated regions."

China Provoked

In an earlier part of the report, the Sub-Committee points out that it has not attempted to deal with the historical causes of the conflict. It starts its review from July, 1937 and passes to the incident at Lukouchiao, setting out the conflicting Japanese and Chinese versions, the report declaring that while the hostilities are going on, extensive troop movements were making the situation worse. The report describes the outbreak in hostilities in North China at the end of July and says the operation of Japanese troops in North China provoked a lively reaction in China.

By the declaration of Japanese statements that China must give way, the emergency financial measures in Tokyo, and the departure of Japanese residents from China, the Government and people of China were led to the conclusion that Japan was determined to break their resistance by force of arms.

Suspicion Confirmed

They were confirmed in this conviction in the second week in August when the Shanghai region became a theatre for operations, despite efforts made to keep the hostilities at a distance from the city, in which the interests of China and other nations are closely inter-locked.

Having outlined the relevant Treaties, the report says that, prima facie, the events described in the first part of the report constitute a breach by Japan of her obligations to other States. The Japanese hostilities, in the circumstances, are inconsistent with the obligation to respect the sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity of China, and also with the obligation not to seek a solution of a dispute with China except by pacific methods. The position of Japanese forces in China is wholly irreconcilable with Treaty obligations. It could be shown to be a measure necessary for self-defence, including the defence by Japanese forces of Japanese nationals who were lawfully upon Chinese territory.

Hoped For Localisation

The report cites statements from a speech by Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek on July 13, the Chinese Note to Japan on July 19, and the Japanese Premier's speech on July 27, as apparent evidence that both sides believed at an early stage that the incident could be localised and pacific solution found.

At a comparatively early stage it began to appear that Japan in addition to reaching a local settlement, was also determined to obtain a settlement for all questions at issue between the two countries. The conclusion of the preamble to the report says there is no reason to doubt the Memorandum of July 19 (offering to accept any pacific means known to International Law) continues to represent the policy of the Chinese Government.

Out Of Proportion

After examination of the facts laid before it, the Sub-Committee was bound to take the view that the military operations of Japan against China by land, sea and air, are out of all proportion to the incident which occasioned the conflict, and that such action cannot possibly facilitate or promote friendly co-operation between the two nations, which Japanese statesmen have affirmed to be their aim and policy; that it is unjustifiable in the light of existing legal instruments, or the right of self-defence, and that it contravenes Japanese obligations under the Nine-Power Treaty and the Pact of Paris.

Suggests Nine-Power
Parley

Geneva, Oct. 5.
The second report of the Committee suggests that the signatories to the Nine-Power Treaty should be invited to meet as soon as possible, and that other Powers interested in the Pacific should be asked to participate with a view to ending the conflict by agreement.—Reuters.

Delegates Consult
Governments

Geneva, Oct. 5.
The League Assembly adjourned until 5 o'clock to-morrow to enable delegates to consult their governments. The Polish delegate announced his abstention because he objected to the procedure, while the delegates of Spain, Norway and South Africa said they had not had time to consult their governments.

Mr. Walter Elliot, representing Great Britain, strongly urged the acceptance of the resolution from the Committee of Twenty-Three because this was a conflict in which the powers of conciliation which the League possessed should be invoked even at the eleventh hour. He pointed out that the situation in the Far East rendered it

CONCERTED ACTION
FOR PEACE ADVISED

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let no one imagine that America can escape, or that we may expect mercy.

"If these things are to be prevented, peace-loving nations must make a concerted effort to uphold the laws and principles upon which, alone, peace can rest secure. There must be a return to belief in the pledged word and the value of the signed treaty," President Roosevelt maintained.

International Inter-
Dependence

Dwelling upon modern international inter-dependence, President Roosevelt declared this situation prevented any nation isolating herself from upheavals elsewhere.

He asserted it was a matter of vital interest to the people of the United States that the sanctity of international treaties and the maintenance of international morality be restored. Some countries were piling up armaments for aggression; others because they feared aggression, he said. The figure runs from 30 to as high as 50 per cent. of some national budgets.

The proportion of budget expenditure on arms in the United States, he continued, was 11 or 12 per cent. but we are compelled to look ahead. "The world, he added, must be aroused to the importance of removing injustices, but also to the cardinal necessity of honouring treaties and respecting the rights of others."

"It is my determination to pursue peace and adopt every practicable measure to avoid involvement in war. If civilisation is to survive the principles of the Prince of Peace must be restored," he warned.—Reuters.

BANDITS BATTLE
BRAVELY

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rushed northward to check the Japanese drive.

Japanese planes have scouted over a number of districts south of Tientsin and released a number of bombs, but the damage is slight.—Central News.

Warship Damage

Shanghai, Oct. 6.
A Japanese naval spokesman said seventeen Chinese warships had been damaged, grounded or sunk since the beginning of the hostilities, including four sunk, plus the two Japanese ships which are being towed to the Yangtze barrier.

He said that Chinese customs ships have not been attacked during the past month on account of the arrangement with Sir Frederick Maier, Inspector General of Customs.

It is noteworthy that Sir Frederick protested vigorously against the bombing of two customs ships at Ningpo in August.—United Press.

ROOSEVELT-
ABANDONS
ISOLATIONISM

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hold the law and the principles on which, alone, peace can rest secure.

"There must be a return to belief in the pledged word, and to the value of the signed treaty. There must be a recognition of the fact that national morality is as vital as private morality."

President Roosevelt was speaking on this occasion at the dedication of Chicago's "Outer Link" bridge and he congratulated the city and nation on the structure. "We can spend our resources on such projects as soil conservation and other useful endeavours instead of spending half our wealth for armaments, either in the spirit of fear or aggression," he said.—United Press.

Impetuous that the basis on which the League exercised its powers of conciliation should be as broad as possible. M. Paul Boncour of France supported Britain.

Not Called Aggressor

M. Litvinoff, the Russian delegate said the Committee had found in the action of the Japanese Government all the elements of aggression, but still they did not use the word in deference to the feelings of some of the members.

Dr. Wellington Koo, representing China, said the recommendations of the Committee were far short of what the Chinese delegation had asked, but they were prepared to accept them in a spirit of solidarity, it being understood that the Chinese delegation reserved the right to present on a future occasion the proposals which the Committee was now unable to accept.—Reuters.

Chinese Delegate To Press
For Sanctions

Geneva, Oct. 6.
Dr. Wellington Koo, Chinese Ambassador to France and delegate to the League of Nations, told the Central News Agency representative here that he would press for the application of Article 10 of the League Covenant, which calls for economic sanctions against Japan. He also added that he would urge the Far Eastern Advisory Committee of Thirteen to maintain the decision holding Japan responsible for the invasion of China.—Central News.

ARCHBISHOP OF
CANTERBURY
PRESIDES WHEN
BRITISH PUBLIC
PROTESTS TO JAPAN

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tain will act as leader for world peace."—Reuters.

Asks For Leadership

The Archbishop of Canterbury said he did not personally join in any call to the British Government to act alone without regard to the support of other nations, but they were entitled to ask the Government, if their protest and appeal were unavailing, to take the lead by letting it be known that they are prepared to act if they can obtain such support from other nations as would make action effective, and by inviting other nations to join them.

"Surely any world-wide protest against these acts in China ought, in all honesty, to lead to an equally world-wide protest against the near possibility of their being repeated on a far wider and more awful scale. Let not the world neglect the handwriting on the wall," warned the Archbishop.

The Real Tragedy

Professor Chang Peng-chung described the scenes of fighting in Peking, and added that to-day China is fighting as a united nation, that resistance had proved strong, and would surely continue.

Earl Lytton described the war being carried on by Japan as an international crime, adding: "The most humiliating fact of all this tragedy is that these methods against which we are protesting, have not been invented by Japan, but copied from Europe. The Japanese Army has been modelled on Prussian lines, adopting frightfulness, which is a Prussian theory. Japan evidently considers tactics as scraps of paper and frightfulness as the hallmark of a great power."

Mr. David Lloyd George sent a message to the meeting stating that if civilisation was to be saved, aggressors must be made to realise by combined action, a definite action among the more human and peace-loving countries of the world, that barbarism was not a paying game.—Reuters.

Boycott Unfair

London, Oct. 5.
A Japanese Embassy spokesman, commenting on the British Labour Council's recent resolution that a boycott against Japan should be adopted, said: "Japan is opposed by a boycott, as much by foreign countries as by China. We consider the boycott unfair, and the worst way to make the Japanese better. If it is admitted for a moment that the Japanese are bad."

He requested foreigners generally to study the verified reports from both sides before condemning Japan.—United Press.

Audience Stirred

The audience of 10,000, which included many Chinese, scattered throughout the hall, was stirred by Professor Chang Peng-chung's vivid description of the horrors in China. The feature of his speech was the complete absence of attack on the Japanese, and it was left to Lady Bonham Carter to give the lead to the audience by demanding a world-economic boycott of Japan.

Mr. Herbert Morrison, voicing the same demand, wished the Chinese people every success in their resistance to aggression, but said it would be far better that it should be made impossible for Japanese aggression to be continued.

Messages of Sympathy

Other messages were received from Mr. Winston Churchill, Sir Archibald Sinclair, Mr. Gilbert Murray and Mr. Ben Tillett. The last-named trusted that dock workers the world over would stop Japanese ships "for the only alternative at the present is that they may have to stop Japanese shells with their bodies as the Chinese are doing now."

At the conclusion of the meeting, a resolution was passed recording the meeting's horror and emphatic condemnation of the indiscriminate attacks upon civilian non-combatants by Japanese forces and urging the British Government to take the lead in securing concerted action by economic measures, or otherwise, to prevent their continuance.—Reuters.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Oct. 4	Oct. 5
Paris	150 1/4	150 3/4
Geneva	21 5/8	21 3/4
Berlin	12 3/4	12 3/4
Athens	54 1/4	54 1/4
Milan	54 1/4	54 1/4
Copenhagen	22 1/2	22 1/2
Stockholm	10 3/4	10 3/4
Helsinki	19 1/2	19 1/2
Oslo	22 1/2	22 1/2
Shanghai	1 1/2	1 1/2
New York	4 5/8	4 5/8
Amsterdam	8 3/4	8 3/4
Vienna	20 1/2	20 1/2
Prague	14 1/2	14 1/2
Madrid	11 1/2	11 1/2
Hongkong	1 1/2	1 1/2
Bombay	1 1/2	1 1/2
Calcutta	1 1/2	1 1/2
Manila	1 1/2	1 1/2
Yokohama	1 1/2	1 1/2
Belgrade	21 1/2	21 1/2
Montevideo	30 1/2	30 1/2
Rio de Janeiro	4 1/2	4 1/2
Silver (spot)	10 1/2	10 1/2
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War Loan	101 1/4	101 1/4

—British Wireless.

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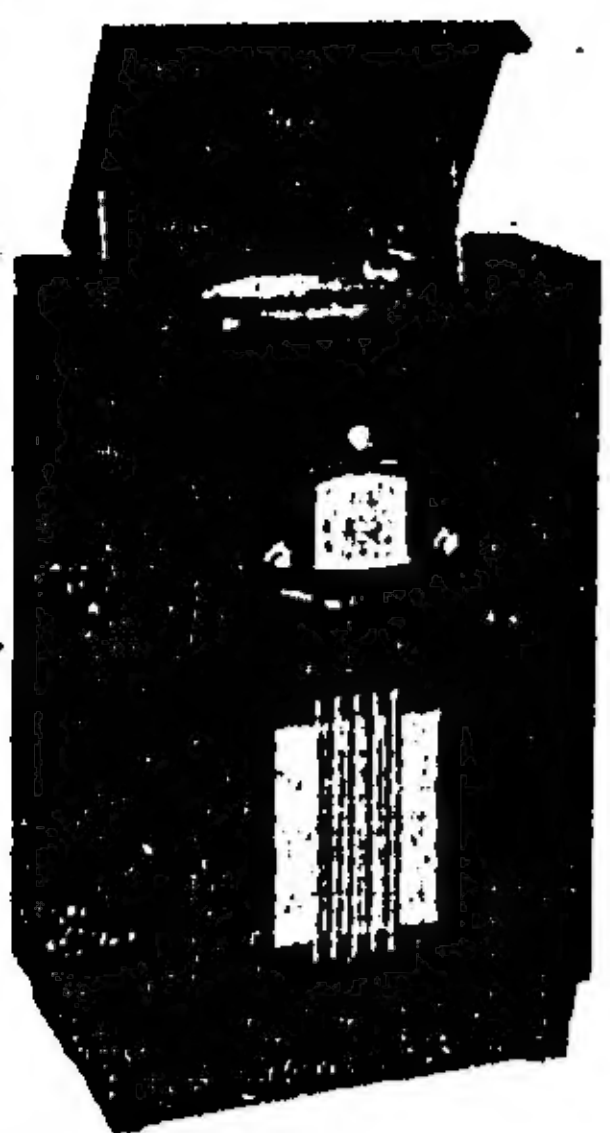
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Amoy	October 6.
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Shanghai and Swatow	October 6.
Haiphong and Hanoi	October 6.
Haiphong	October 6.
Manila	October 7.
Japan	October 7.
Straits	October 7.
Stralsund	October 7.
Australia and Manila	October 8.
Stralsund and Europe via Nippon	October 8.
Letters and Papers, London, 9th September	October 8.
U.S.A., Honolulu and Japan (San Francisco, 11th September)	October 8.
Japan and Formosa	October 9.
Calcutta and Straits	October 9.
Japan	October 10.
Shanghai	October 11.
Japan	October 11.
Straits	October 11.
Stralsund	October 12.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 29th September	October 12.
Amoy	October 12.
Swatow	October 12.
Shanghai and Swatow	October 12.
Haiphong and Hanoi	October 12.
Haiphong	October 12.
Manila	October 12.
Japan	October 12.
Straits	October 12.
Stralsund	October 12.
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Letters and Papers, London, 9th September	October 12.
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Canton Expects Air Raids

Foreign Shipping
Requested to
Leave Chefoo

Canton, Oct. 5. A resumption of Japanese aerial activity in Kwangtung seems probable in the near future as a result of to-day's news, which still awaits official confirmation.

There are also persistent rumours that a large number of Chinese aeroplanes from North China are reinforcing the local Air Force.

It is felt that the Japanese aeroplanes will not return to the City itself, but quietly in expressed in Chinese and foreign circles that the Japanese may turn their attention to the Hankow-Canton Railway which suffered far less than was expected from raids last week.

Canton is at present going through the quietest phase since hostilities opened in South China. Possibly it is a lull before the storm and except for the effects of the Pearl River blockade and dull business conditions generally the populace is carrying on much as usual. They are grateful for the gales of the past 24 hours which kept the raid siren silent.

Authoritative sources confirm the report that the German mission at Tsingyuan, north of Canton, was bombed on September 29. Five bombs were dropped on the building, but only one registered a direct hit, causing considerable damage. There was no loss of life. No war was flying over the building at the time, but it is pointed out that this was irrelevant since the raid occurred at night. Twelve people in other parts of Tsingyuan were killed.—Reuter.

COMMANDER RESIGNS

Canton, Oct. 5. Admiral Fung Chuk-fun, Commander of the Canton River Fleet, has tendered his resignation to Gen. Yu Han-mow, Commander-in-Chief of the 4th Route Army. It is understood that Gen. Yu will ask him to remain.

The resignation is believed to be connected with the recent Japanese air attack on the Canton gunboats, when some of them were slightly damaged. All Canton gunboats have been instructed to go to places of safety. Some have been streng-

WORLD ECONOMY

LEAGUE ASSEMBLY ADOPTS
SERIES OF RESOLUTIONS

London, Oct. 4. The plenary session of the League Assembly, according to a Geneva message to-day adopted a series of resolutions on economic and financial matters.

In these, approval was given to the continuation of efforts now being made to achieve freer international trade. At the request of Mr. S. M. Bruce, Australian delegate, the Assembly decided to organise a study of the means of improving the standard of living.

The Assembly also approved the resolution providing for the consultation of non-members of the League in connection with an enquiry into the reform of the League Covenant.—British Wireless.

thined with new equipment, including anti-aircraft guns.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

SHANGHAI RAIDS

Shanghai, Oct. 5 (10.21 p.m.). A spectacular Chinese air raid brought to a climax days of heavy fighting. An unknown number of planes appeared shortly after sunset and drew intensive fire from the Japanese warships at Shanghai and Woosung, whose tracer bullets and exploding shells provided a beautiful pyrotechnic display for the watchers in the foreign area.

The severity of the Japanese bombings to-day was shown in a Chinese communique, which described them as the heaviest in the history of the Shanghai war. Planes rained entire loads on the restricted areas and went to fetch fresh cargoes.

The Japanese bombings have been so intensive that three outposts held by the United States Marines had to be evacuated for half an hour. The Chinese declare that the bombings failed to dislodge their troops or break their morale.—Reuter.

NANKING ATTACKED

Shanghai, Oct. 5 (10.21 p.m.). A Nanking message states that six Japanese bombers, flying at a great height, arrived over the city at 5.45 p.m. from the south-east and dropped bombs outside the South City.

While heavy anti-aircraft fire met them from below Chinese pursuit planes went up to engage the invaders. Desperate dog-fights in the twi-

CHINESE BOYCOTTED

RETURNED LABOURERS TELL
STORIES OF HARDSHIP

Seriously boycotted by Japanese, overseas Chinese in Japan can no longer carry on their business and are anxious to return to China, declared a leading Chinese merchant who arrived in Shanghai last week by the Sinking from Japan.

Before leaving on their homeward journey 514 Chinese were concentrated in Kobe whence they left on September 23 by the boat specially chartered by the Chinese Government. There are still about 20,000 Chinese in Japan.

A large group of Chinese officials from the Shanghai City Government Overseas Chinese Relief Committee and representatives of various residents' associations in Shanghai were on hand at the wharf along the French Bund to welcome the evacuees. A large detachment of French police also turned out to keep order.

Most of the newly arrived overseas Chinese from Japan are natives of the Ningpo Residents' Association showed keen interest in them, driving the returned natives to their association building in Yu Yu Ching Road. Other newcomers are natives of Kwangtung and Fukien. While many went to Settlement hotels soon after arrival, most of them remained aboard the ship wishing to continue their homeward trip upriver.

EFFECTS CONFISCATED

The Sinking was sent to Kobe by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs for the purpose of picking up Chinese evacuees, says Central News.

Most of the evacuees belong to the labouring class. Their personal effects had been confiscated by the Japanese authorities before they were allowed to leave the Island Empire.

Another batch of more than 50 Chinese evacuees, mostly students, arrived from Japan by way of Hongkong aboard the Szechwan. Some of the students said they had been ill-treated by the Japanese authorities while they were in Japan.

light thrilled the spectators. Unable to penetrate the capital's defences, the bombers went south-west to Chuanying and dropped more bombs. The "all clear" was given at 6.45 p.m.—Reuter.

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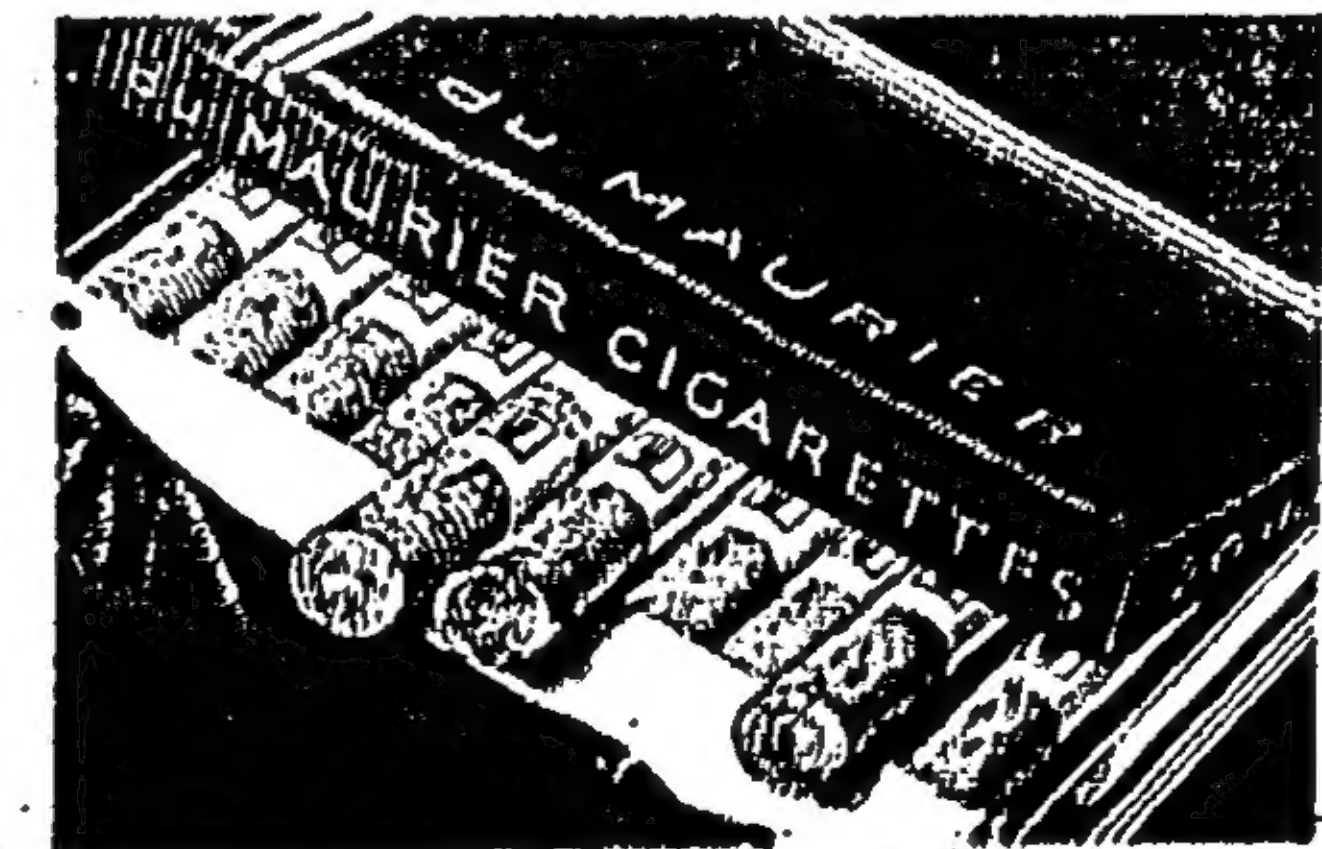
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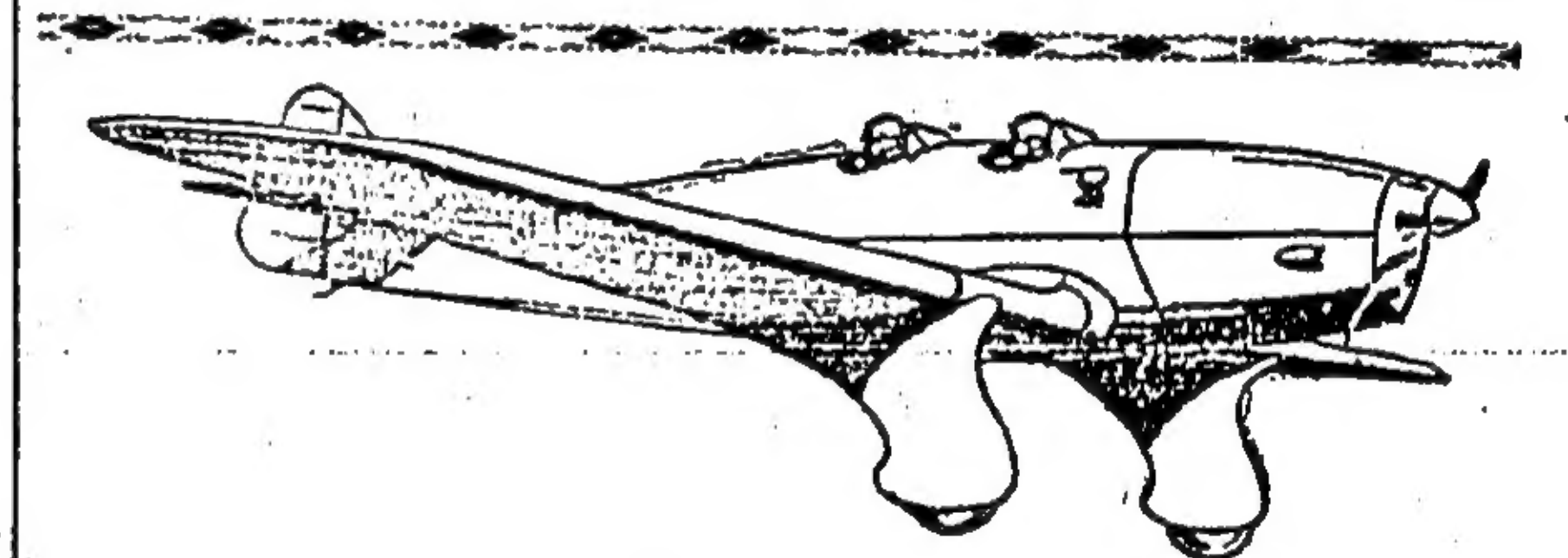
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VALUED FRIENDSHIP

Yesterday we took pleasure in publishing a contributed article dealing with Portugal's modern evolution, dating from a period something chaotic, eleven years ago, to the present era of prosperous and secure government. Portugal has reason to congratulate herself upon her achievement, and we to take gratification from acknowledging the assurances of friendship so warmly and so frequently given and so positively demonstrated. In the Far East, Britain and Portugal have something in common. Both rule small but important colonies; both are interested, more or less vitally, in the trade of those possessions; both are anxious to preserve their prestige. At a time like this, with a war raging almost within ear-shot of our garrisons, it is natural that we should wish for harmony between our Governments; and, fortunately, it is as natural that we should expect it. In the past Portugal has been a stout ally. It can be recalled, without giving offence to anyone, that Portugal rallied to the cause of Britain and her other allies during the Great War. Portugal sent over 65,000 men to France; and another 35,000 served in Africa. All this in spite of restlessness at home, the coup d'etat of 1917. In the post-war period, Portugal was one of the first nations to find her feet politically, and though it was not until 1926 that the present popular system was made permanent, the seed was sown long earlier, and by dint of careful husbandry Portuguese leaders reaped the benefits of political foresight and firm, honest, administration. The mistakes of the young republic, which raised its flag in 1919, served as guideposts for the administration of 1926. Since then Portugal has progressed in leaps and bounds.

Peoples are prone to dream over-much of their past glories. It is said to be a sign of degeneration, but the British do it; and the Germans do it; and there are few moderns who do not. Portuguese people have every right to pride themselves on their past greatness and the accomplishments of their statesmen, soldiers, sailors and reformers, just as they have to feel a swelling gratification that by their unrelenting labours they have won from a depressed

43 YEARS OF T.U.C.

*Mr. CLYNES looks back in
an interview with
IAN MACKAY*

WHEN the Trades Union Congress met recently in Norwich there was only one delegate present who has attended every conference since Congress last visited that city 43 years ago, Mr. J. R. Clynes, M.P.

In 1894 he was a young slip of a fellow not long out of the mills—when he had to rise at 4 a.m. and walk nearly four miles to work.

Since then he has been leader of his union, chairman of the Labour Party and Home Secretary. His Majesty's principal Secretary of State.

In these 43 years Mr. Clynes has watched the trade union movement grow from what was little more than an underground conspiracy to become an essential element in the machinery of the State.

He has seen tremendous changes and played his own noble part in them; and to-day as he sits in St. Andrew's Hall his mind will go back over the years to the last Norwich Congress when the old Queen was still on the Throne and the Labour Party was still a far-off dream in the heads of a few "cranks" and malcontents.

I had a long talk with Mr. Clynes the other day and it occurred to me that it might interest and inspire some of the younger men at Norwich to hear what their movement has achieved since Mr. Clynes took the rostrum 43 years ago.

"What," I asked him, "do you consider to be the greatest change in the working class movement since the last Norwich Congress?"

"Undoubtedly," he replied, "the growth of the political side of the movement. For years after Norwich the whole purpose

and dismal period of unrest and uncertainty into a bright present. What school-boy has not admired the old kings of the house of Burgundy who ruled in Portugal in the eleventh century? Who can fail to admire the vision of Prince Henry the Navigator, who laid the foundations of the Portuguese Empire? Who has not thrilled to the exploits of the fearless Diaz? Vasco de Gama's discovery of the sea route to India? Such men made Portugal the richest power of their day. And it was as long ago as 1640, when the Duke of Braganza was proclaimed king, that Portuguese fought for freedom, and won it, from greedy Spain. There are glorious spots in Portugal's history, and her present endeavours would indicate that she has every prospect of a more glorious future. To such a people, true patriots and fearless foes, Britishers are happy to respond when they are offered friendship.

of Labour effort was industrial and only the most timid approaches had been made towards any independent political action.

"Since then the workers have created their own party which has twice ruled the country and is now the second greatest party in the land."

"In 1894," Mr. Clynes went on "the worker—except for the few skilled men—had little or no voice in his own industry and politically he was never heard at all. Manual labour was voiceless and but for the old *Daily News* and the *Star* even their miseries would have gone unrecorded."

"What a change there is to-day. Most employers nowadays are enlightened persons though a few of them still live in the backwoods."

"Perhaps the most important change of all is the great development of the dignity of labour. Forty years ago the average worker was a fearful, submissive, doubting sort of a fellow frightened to incur the displeasure of his boss by even giving any indication that he was dissatisfied."

"The trade union movement has put backbone into him, reminded him that he has a soul, that he is somebody in the scheme of things."

"In the old days the man had more often than not to stand up alone before powerful and sometimes sinister corporations. To-day he is united with his fellows and defended by competent persons of his own choosing."

I asked Mr. Clynes if the mentality of the employers had improved in recent years.

"Very greatly indeed," he replied. "There has been an enormous growth within the workshops of councils and committees, joint bodies which play a great part in the peaceful adjustment of differences which the public never even hears about."

THE GOOD-NATURED COMEDIAN

One must indeed be young not to remember with becoming sadness glories of the music hall which have now faded. It is only, after all, a short time ago that Vesta Tilley, Little Tich, George Formby, Harry Welch, Willie Dard, and others as illustrious could be seen, not in their heyday perhaps but certainly in the ripeness of their mastery. All of these artists in their different ways lodged themselves in the memories of those who saw them, and we are apt to complain when we revisit the scene of former delights that personality has almost dried out of a stage that once was fairly soaked in the stuff. But even while we complain we are, as like as not, confronted with some modern comedian whose unconcealed self-confidence is clearly imposing itself upon the whole house. He is as clever as we can stick, and he knows it. If this comedian has not "personality" what comedian ever had? The youngsters who ask the question leave those who are slightly but definitely their seniors feeling that overnight they have become old fogies.

Yet it needs only the appearance of Miss Gracie Fields or Mr. George Robey to give seniors an inkling of how the question should be answered. For there is a sense in which both these great comedians belong to the past. The contrasted humour which they exhibit rests on good nature, and of this quality, once the bedrock of music hall art, their younger rivals

have singularly little. The typical comedian of the day has replaced good nature with a cynicism that may be extremely amusing but is at the same time hard, unfriendly, and a trifle patronizing. His cleverness is to be admired and he bubbles with ideas. Determined to put his songs and patter across, he indubitably succeeds. But he leaves the stage as he comes on to it—a stranger, or at best one more of those skillful fellows who keep the programme rattling with the mechanical precision and speed of a machine-gun. And as he goes we sigh for the comedians of the old school—"old" is lyric adjective No. 1 of the halls—who warned us with their genial art and endeared themselves, not by making wry comments upon human nature, but by being themselves solid, likeable lumps of it.

Survivors of that school must feel a little alarmed by the cleverness of the modern patter and a little shocked by the self-confidence which it has become the fashion to parade aggressively. It was their way to conceal self-confidence, and most of them relied on a mixture of broad comedy and sentiment which was hardly ever clever but somehow mirrored an aspect of life that their audiences recognized as real. And at least they were not what so many of their successors seem to be, anonymous. They stuck in the memory, and obstinately they persist into the present—where almost every joke has a cutting edge—the friendliest of ghosts.



The Trades Union Congress met recently at Norwich again for the first time since 1894. J. R. Clynes was the only delegate to attend both meetings, as well as every one in between.

"Some of the big unions spend thousands of pounds a year on this conciliation work. But then, it is better to spend thousands on conciliation than tens of thousands on a strike."

This brought us to the question of strike action.

Mr. Clynes was quite emphatic on the matter. While the strike weapon had to be preserved as the workers' last line of defence, he said it should never be resorted to until all else had failed.

"I would much rather that the boardroom, and not the battlefield, should be the industrial battlefield."

"With the development of joint industrial councils and trade boards the necessity for fighting things out in the old jungle manner is slowly disappearing. But in this the employers must play their part as well. The thing will settle itself in time as industry becomes more and more publicly controlled."

"But as things are to-day the strike weapon cannot be abandoned. It is not its use but its very existence that acts as a curb on certain rapacious elements who still think that the be-all and end-all of industrial effort is to fill their own pockets."

Mr. Clynes went on to describe the amazing change that has taken place in the food, clothing, and housing of the people.

"The invention of cheap silk fabrics has made it almost impossible to distinguish the mistress from her maid."

"The development of working-class flats with electrical equipment, refrigerators and bathrooms is one of the greatest revolutions of the age; and it is only beginning."

"The wireless and the motor-bus have enlarged the horizon of the workers from the parish pump to the ends of the earth. Why, when I started to work, the fastest thing on the roads was the horse tram."

"In all these things the trade union movement has played a leading, if not a decisive, part. It has worked for the benefit not only of a class but of the country as a whole."

The workers to-day were making much better use of their leisure.

The tremendous intellectual impact of Shaw, Wells and Chesterton had been more felt in the homes of the poor than anywhere else and the growth of public libraries, drama leagues, study circles and evening classes in the industrial centres was one of the most important cultural factors of the present time.

Finally, Mr. Clynes paid a tribute to the great contribution which Liberalism has made to the advancement of the common people.

"While the Liberal Party may no longer be strong," he said, "there is an immense volume of Liberal opinion still existing, and no Government of the future, whichever Party is in power, can disregard it."

"No Government can escape from this Liberal influence. You may kill a Party, just as in some parts of the world they have suppressed religion, but you cannot destroy the influence and the emotion of a great ideal, either politically or spiritually."

RIFLE ASSOCIATION TO HAVE USE OF RANGES ON SUNDAYS

Negotiations With Golf Club Successfully Concluded

Happiest news members of the Hongkong Rifle Association (especially the civilian section) have heard for a long time was revealed by the Hon. Secretary, Major D. H. Steara, this week, when he announced that the long negotiations between the Association and the Kowloon Golf Club concerning the sharing of the golf course-cum-shooting range on Sunday had terminated successfully.

The conclusion is regarded as another indication of the importance and necessity of the Rifle Association, which is one of the biggest in the British Empire, but whose facilities for pursuing its activities have been severely restricted.

Although the Association is in the position immediately to use the ranges for practice on Sunday, in future, to the Kowloon Golf Club the privilege will not be taken advantage of until November 20. (Holler will any of the Sundays in December be used.)

However, as from the New Year, the Association will be making more regular Sunday use of the ranges, and have commenced the following dates:

January 30, February 27, March 27, April 24, May 22 and June 20. An already suggested, the use of the ranges on a Sunday is going to prove a big boon to the Rifle Association's members. It should particularly encourage the civilian members, whose opportunities hitherto for practice have been restricted, and many handiaps have had to be over-runs.

OFFICIAL TIMES

The following official statement regarding the times for practice is comprehensive and of value to members.

The table given below shows the dates on which shooting will be held on the Army Ranges at Kowloon City during the 1937-38 season. Unless otherwise stated, the dates shown are Wednesdays.

Times of shooting are: Wednesdays, from 2 p.m. to dusk, Sundays, from 9 a.m. (sharp) until 12.45 p.m. In addition to the date given below, it is hoped that, as in the past years, the Royal Navy will help by affording space target accommodation on certain Saturdays afternoon on the naval range at Blouetters.

1937
September, 1; 8; 15; 22; 29

U.S. Women's Golf Title

New York, Sept. 6. The United States Golf Association has announced that the Women's Amateur Golf Championship will be held from October 4 to 2 inclusive, at the Memphis Country Club, Memphis, Tennessee.

It is hoped that Miss Pam Barton, the present holder of the title, will defend the championship.

October, 6; 13; 20; 27.
November, 3; 10; 17; 24; (Sunday)

December, 1; 8; 15; 22; 29
1938
January, 5; 12; 19; 26; (Sunday)

February, 2; 9; 16; 23; (Sunday)

March, 2; 9; 16; 23; (Sunday) 27 and 30.

April, 4; to 11 (inclusive) Prize Meeting; 20; (Sunday) 24 and 27.

May, 4; 11; 18; (Sunday) 22 and 25.

June, 1; 8; 15; 22; (Sunday) 26 and 29.

CLAY-PIGEON RANGE

Further evidence of the progressive character of the Rifle Association is shown in the announcement that in the very near future clay-pigeon shooting and miniature rifle shooting ranges will be added to the existing facilities for shooting practice. Undoubtedly both features will prove highly popular.

FUTURE OF GEM HOAHING

To Be Wimbledon Champion?

London, Sept. 21.

Little Gem Hoahing, girl tennis player from China, who recently did some giant killing at Eastbourne at the expense of women much more experienced than herself is planning to spend the winter in Cairo.

Dr. Fisher, her mother, who is a qualified doctor, planned it for her. Mrs. Hoahing has Gem's tennis future carefully mapped out. She thinks, in common with many others, that her 16-year-old prodigy has all the makings of a Wimbledon champion.

But Gem must be looked after, and so it is to be Cairo, where the climate is soft and warm, she is going to escape the rigours of an English winter.

The Hoahings naturally are accustomed to warmth, and would probably prefer their own land; but maybe China is a bit too hot just now, even for them.

FIRST RATE PRACTICE

The advantage of a stay in Cairo is that, in addition to a favourable climate, Gem will get some first-rate tennis practice. The Egyptian championships are due in March, and she is entering.

Last winter she was taken to the south of France, but found the weather too cold. She is in Paris now awaiting the French championships next week, but England will be her destination about next May, when it will be interesting to see what another year on her age will have done for her.

These brilliant youngsters do not always justify their promise in later years, but Gem has every chance of doing so, what with the first-class experience she is getting and a mother trained in medicine to guard her health.

PREPARATIONS FOR OLYMPIC GAMES ARE CONTINUED

TOKYO COMMITTEE REFUTE TALK OF CANCELLATION

1940 EVENT DEFINITELY TO BE HELD

Many rumours have been circulated of late regarding Japan's intention to decline the Olympic Games, to be held in Tokyo in 1940, and it will be with satisfaction that sportsmen all over the world will hail an authentic statement, issued by Dr. Matsuzo Nagai, General Secretary of the Organizing Committee of the Tokyo Olympic Games on the subject.

His statement reads: "For the past weeks, various rumours were noted to have been in circulation, some of them appearing in the Tokyo vernacular, that Japan will decline the scheduled holding of the 1940 Olympiad in Tokyo. It must be stated here that all these rumours had no grounds whatever to rest on. They were entirely untrue. They were entirely contrary to the actual circumstances in which the matter at issue now stands."

The statement stresses that although there is no doubt that the international situation in the Far East is "strained" at the present moment, the fundamental stand is maintained by Japan has undergone no changes whatever. "It has always been the sole desire and determination of Japan to strive toward a firm establishment of the peace in the region and the belief that the ominous cloud now overhanging will soon pass away is entertained by the nation."

PREPARATIONS GO ON

A resolution was passed by the Olympic Committee of the Municipality of Tokyo on September 3, that preparations for the holding of the Games in Tokyo in 1940 should continue. The Japanese Government, it was stated, has made no gesture indicative towards declining the 1940 Olympiad.

The origin of the rumours concerning the likely abandonment of the 1940 Games by Japan is traced to the recent decision of the Japanese Army authorities to temporarily withdraw seven officers from the Equestrian team. It was considered that in view of the Sino-Japanese "incident" it was undesirable for officers in active service to devote themselves entirely to preparation for the Olympiad.

This decision aroused much comment in all quarters and some people even suspected that it meant the abandonment of the whole of the Olympic Games.

PROGRAMME ACCEPTED

With the return of the Japanese delegate to the International Olympic Committee session, held at Warsaw some months ago, preparations for the Games have gone on apace. The delegate submitted to the Warsaw conference a programme for the Tokyo Games and this was accepted almost in toto.

The programme of the 1940 Olympiad adopted at the Conference is as follows:

Sports: Athletics, Boxing, Cycling, Equestrian Events, Fencing, Gymnastics, Modern Pentathlon, Rowing, Shooting, Weight-Lifting, Swimming, Wrestling, Yachting and "Art Competitions."

Games will include Association Football, Water Polo, Hockey and Baseball.

Demonstrations will also be given by Japanese athletes of the original national sports Judo and Baseball. Handball and Canoeing are listed on the programme, but in the event that less than five countries announce their intention to compete, these contests will be eliminated.

FOREIGN ADVISERS

Two foreign experts have been invited by Japan to act as technical advisers to the Tokyo Olympic Games Organizing Committee. They are Mr. W. Klingenberg, who had charge of the Berlin Olympiad, and Mr. M. Zentgraf, famous designer of polo-stick courses. The latter will take up duties as adviser for the Sapporo Winter Games. The problem of what to present to champions of the Tokyo Olympiad

was recently studied. At the Berlin Games, champions, were given gifts of young oak trees.

Opinions of athletic organizations on the question were sounded and from various expressions received, it appears that many are in favour of presenting swords to men champions and mirrors to men champions, style to women champions. In some quarters, it is proposed that the ginkgo tree should take the place of the oak at the Tokyo Games.

The idea of presenting swords to champions is not new and is in fact quite a popular procedure in Japan. Recently, a group of visiting American wrestling champions were each presented with a Japanese sword, a short weapon of about 19 centimetres, the blade being about 11 centimetres long.

TOMMY FARR REPLIES TO SILLY TALK

New York, Sept. 8.

TOMMY FARR was fighting again to-day, but his opponent was the "Yellow Press," not the "Brown Bomber," Joe Louis.

Dealing with the remarks attributed to him, the British heavyweight champion denied that he is going to retire.

"That's just rot!" he said. "I expect to be fighting here often." He also denied that he is "fed up with America." On the contrary, he told a gathering of New Jersey workmen, including Governor Hoffman, "You've all been grand to me here."

SOFTBALL LEAGUE ENTRIES

The closing date of entries for the Hongkong Softball League has been extended to Thursday at 5 p.m.

Any Club desirous of joining must do so by notifying the Secretary Mr. W. A. Smith, care of China Mail, before that time.

Interport Football Hopes

Shanghai Think It Possible

Despite the present unsettled conditions, the Executive Committee of the Shanghai Football Association have decided to formulate plans for an Interport series to be held in February.

This is revealed by the Shanghai Times, which adds that Hongkong will be invited to send a team. Shanghai, under existing arrangements, are to visit Tientsin at Easter of next year, but it has not been decided whether this fixture will be held. The Committee are of the opinion that discussion on the subject at the present time is a little premature.

With the exception of the abandonment of the Sunday Morning League, no other section of the Shanghai Football programme for the season has been affected.

The Royal Ulster Rifles, champions of the Hongkong League last season, have not entered a team, as was hoped by Shanghai enthusiasts. Soccer "fans" will, however, have the opportunity of seeing them perform at the start of the season for they will play in the League until the Durham Light Infantry arrive to take over the fixtures.

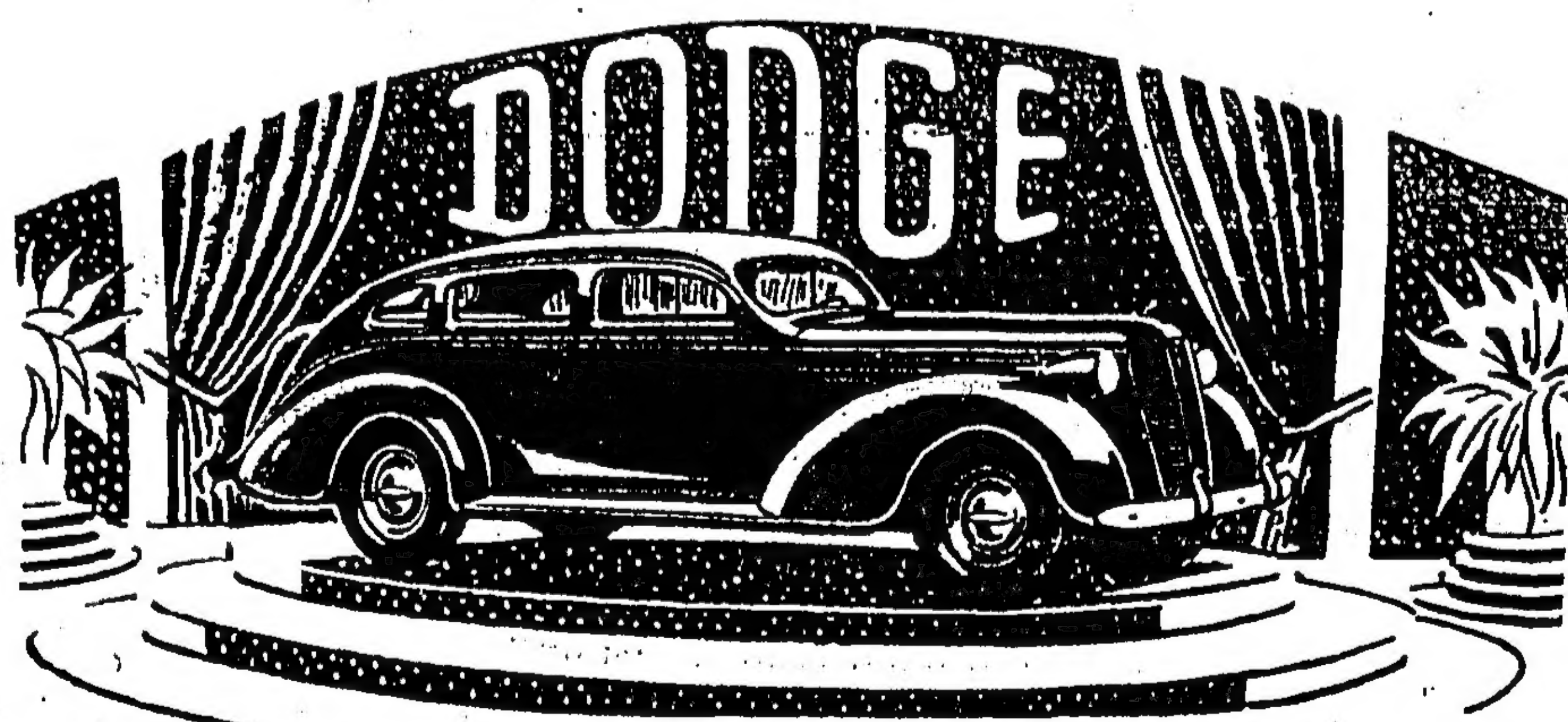
TENNIS STAR INJURED

Los Angeles, Sept. 18. Miss J. Jedrzewski, the Polish player, who reached the final of both the Wimbledon and American women's lawn tennis championships this year, injured her foot in the train on the way here, and may have to cut her U.S. campaign short.

She came here for the Pacific South-west championships. An X-ray examination will be made to see whether any bones are broken.

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Hongkong, 4th October, 1937.

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HENDREN'S
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RECORD

Hendren has played his last innings for Middlesex and he can retire with the knowledge that he has a greater record in county cricket than any other batsman of modern times, his figures being even better than those of Hobbs.

Here are a few of the things he has done for Middlesex in County matches during his 25 seasons:

Number of Innings	842
Times not out	108
Runs	37,340
Aver. per innings	50.87
Aver. aggregate per season	1,493
2,000 runs in a season	4 times
1,000 runs in a season	16 times
Centuries	113
Double centuries	15
Two 100's in a match	3
100 and 50 in a match	12
Two 50's in a match	17

In 16 of the 19 post-war seasons—10 in succession (1919-1928)—Hendren headed the Middlesex batting averages, on two occasions he was second, and third once.



Lydia Roberti and Patsy Kelly in "Nobody's Baby" showing to-day at the King's Theatre.

SOFTBALL
LEAGUEGames To Start
On Sunday

A meeting of the Hongkong Softball League was held yesterday with Mr. M. Chang, President, in the chair, and representatives of the following teams present:—Hongkong English Forum, Canadian Chinese Club, Central British Association, Hongkong Baseball Club, Vets. No. 3, Machine Gun Company and the Filipino Club. The constitution and rules governing the League, as drafted, were adopted. Spalding's Rule Book, and the 14 inch ball will be used. It was stated that although many enquiries had been received, entries had been disappointing. It was decided to extend the closing date of entries to Thursday.

The official opening of the season will take place on Sunday, at the Filipino Club ground, when the Vets will play the English Forum at 10 a.m. followed by a game between the Baseball Club and the Machine Gun Company.

K.C.C. TENNIS

At a meeting of tennis enthusiasts of the Kowloon Cricket Club yesterday, the following sub-committee was elected:—G. E. Clarke, G. C. Clarke, G. Burnett, E. C. Fincher, R. S. Capell and G. A. White.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE
Programme For The
Week-End

The following are the football league fixtures for the coming week-end:

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9

First Division

Kowloon Chinese v. Kowloon (Kowloon, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Kossick.
Linesmen:—Brotherwell and Hill.
Club v. South China "B" (Club, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Finch.
Linesman:—Farr and Johns.
Seafarths v. Police (Sookunpoo, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Ip.
Linesmen:—Edwards and Hudson.
St. Joseph's v. Eastern (Causeway Bay, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Barlow.
Linesmen:—Andrews and F. Silva.

Second Division

Club v. Kowloon (Club, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Jones.
Engineers (Europeans) v. Kwong Wah (Causeway Bay, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—D. T. Smith.
Seafarths v. Eastern (Sookunpoo, 3.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Rees.
Police v. 5th Bde. R.A. (Caroline Hill, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—L. A. French.
Third Division (Hongkong).
Service Corps v. 5th Bde. R.A. (St. Joseph's 4.30 p.m.).

Joe Louis
To Retire
Shortly?

London, Sept. 19.
Joe Louis, world heavy weight boxing champion, who is signed to defend his title against Max Schmeling next June, intends to retire from the ring after that fight—win or lose.

He told me this when I spoke to him yesterday over the Atlantic telephone in his home in Detroit, writes Dave Forbes, former Scottish boxing champion.

"Ah figures to have enough money to live on after the Schmeling fight," Joe added.

He said he would beat Schmeling because Joe Blackburn had taught him a lot since he last fought Max.

Joe said that if Farr met Schmeling he did not know who would be the winner. "They are both good men," he declared.

Referee:—D. G. French.
Stamley v. En theers.
(Military H.V., 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Barretto.

Powhatan v. Police.
(St. Joseph's, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Farr.

Third Division (Kowloon).

Portuguese S. Assn. v. 24th Battery, R.A.

(King's Park, 4.30 p.m.).

Referee:—Silva.

Royal Signals v. 20th Battery, R.A.

(Chatham Road, 3.00 p.m.).

Referee:—Brothwell.

Seafarths v. University.

(Chatham Road, 4.30 p.m.).

Referee:—Stone.

Kannon Ridge v. Air Force.

(Prince Edward Road, 3.00 p.m.).

Referee:—Demmee.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10

First Division

South China "A" v. Middlesex.

(Caroline Hill, 4.30 p.m.).

Referee:—Omar.

Linesmen:—Morecroft and Barretto.

Second Division

South China v. Middlesex.

(Caroline Hill, 3.00 p.m.).

Referee:—Day.

Third Division (Hongkong)

Ordance v. Medicals.

(Sookunpoo, 3.00 p.m.).

Referee:—Johns.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 11

First Division

South China "A" v. Eastern.

(Caroline Hill, 4.30 p.m.).

Referee:—Isley.

Linesmen:—G. D. French and Havelnar.

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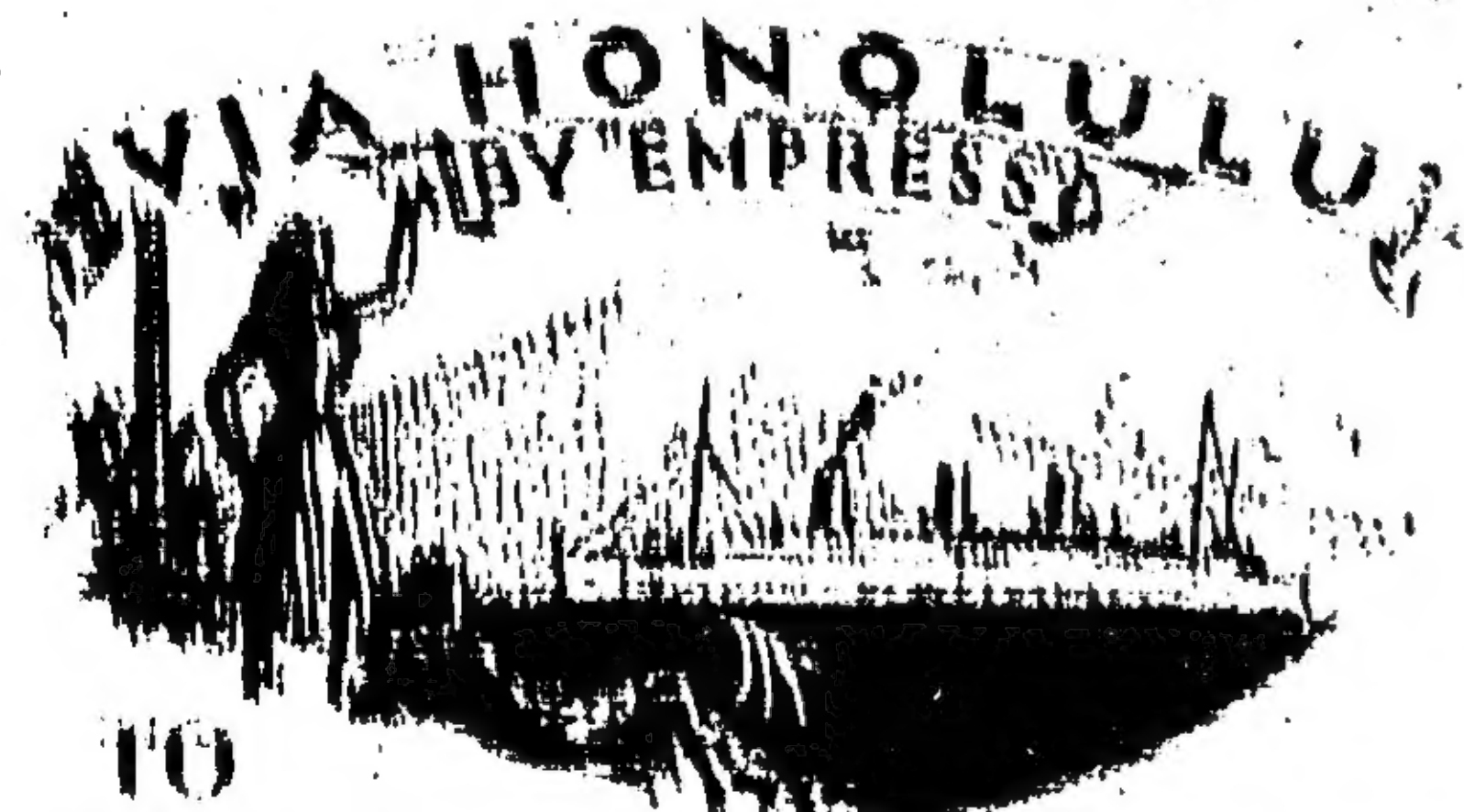
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9.50 Variety.

Quartette—Drink To Me Only With Thine Eyes (Anon. arr. Batten);

Passing By (Herrick and Purcell);

Hubert Elmdell, Heddie Nash, Dennis Noble and Norman Allan; Orchestral—Brittelle—Waltz (Moretti);

Cuckoo Waltz (Jonasson); Dajos Bela Dance Orchestra; Vocal—Daddy (Lemon-Behrend); The Children's Home (Weatherly-Coven); Teddie Harcourt (Boy Soprano) with Chorus; Orchestral—For You Only—Serenade (Boulanger); Lt. U. Dream—Serenade (Robrecht); George Boulanger and His Orchestra; Humorous—The Return of Abdul Abulhai Amir (Crumit); I'm Bettin' The Roll On Roamer (Curtis and Crumit); Frank Crumit (Tenor); Vocal—Just Once For All Time (film 'Congress Dances'); Irene Elinger (Soprano); Piano Duet—Ain't She The Dainty; I Want A Fair And Square Man (both from 'Aunt Sally'); Carroll Gibbons and John W. Green; Vocal W. Orchestra—Veni Vieni (Koger, Varma and Scott); The Whiffenpoof Song (Minnigerode, Pomeroy and Galloway); Rudy Vallee and Male Quartette with Carroll Gibbons and His Orchestra; Comedienne—Get And Daisy And The Tandem; Huntin' Elsie and Doris Waters; Orchestral—Lamento—Tango (Muck-Caros); Land Of Magic—Tango (Winkler); Heinz Supper and His Orchestra; Comedian—George Formby Medley; George Formby with His Ukulele; Fox-Trot—In A Little French Casino; Smile When You Say Goodbye; Jay Wilbur and His Band.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

7.20 a.m. 'Film Shots.'

7.40 a.m. 'This is England' (Second Series). Talks by representative English people: (1) Lawrence Scott, Distribution Manager of a London evening newspaper.

7.55 a.m. 'The Alphas,' presented by Frank Stewart.

8.40 a.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 8.45 a.m.

9 a.m. Big Ben. Scottish Dance Music.

10 a.m. Big Ben. 'World Affairs.'

10.15 a.m. 'Round and About.'

10.25 a.m. 'All in Pink' (Second Series) Band.

11.10 a.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 11.15 a.m.

11.20 a.m. The Cedric Sharp Sextet.

3 p.m. Big Ben. 'The Doubtful Misfortune of Li Sing.' A play by Neil Tuxton.

3.30 p.m. 'World Affairs.'

3.45 p.m. 'Stop Dancing.'

4.20 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 4.30 p.m.

4.40 p.m. The John Dickinson (Apsley) Band.

6.45 p.m. Big Ben. Brahms's 'Sonatas for Violoncello and Piano'—2.

7.15 p.m. 'Dancing Through.'

8.15 p.m. Light Music.

8.25 p.m. 'World Affairs.'

9.15 p.m. Recital by Kate Winter (Soprano).

9.30 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 9.45 p.m.

10.15 p.m. Big Ben. The Coventry Hippodrome Orchestra.

11 p.m. 'Palace of Varieties.'

12 a.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 12.15 a.m.

12.20 a.m. 'The End of the Old One-horned Steeple.'

12.30 a.m. 'Night Shift.'

1.20 a.m. 'Fiesta' with Al Collins and his Dance Orchestra.

2 a.m. Big Ben. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 2.15 a.m.

2.20 a.m. 'Film Shots.'

2.40 a.m. Pianoforte Recital by Lucia Stern.

3.10 a.m. H. Robinson Cleaver, at the Organ of the Royal Cinema, Bexley Heath, Kent.

3.30 a.m. Students' Songs.

4 a.m. 'All in Pink' (Second Series)—1.

4.45 a.m. Interval.

5 a.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 5.15 a.m.

5.20 a.m. 'A Hundred Years Ago.'

6 a.m. 'Food for Thought.'

6.20 a.m. Musical Interlude.

6.25 a.m. Dance Music.

WILL BOYCOTT BE WORKABLE? PAPER ASKS

London, Oct. 5.

The Manchester Guardian, querying the practical possibility of a boycott on Japan, says that no doubt many people endorse the Labour demand for such a step, but it is not enough to call for action without some knowledge of what is wanted and how it is to be obtained.

Neither a voluntary boycott nor even a Government boycott by Britain alone would seriously inconvenience Japan. Effective pressure must be applied by several countries simultaneously for the action to be thorough and far-reaching. Moreover the United States must be one of those countries. The first step is to ask the United States how far it is prepared to go in joint action and one cannot unfortunately hope for an encouraging answer.

If sanctions are to be effective there must be risk of war with Japan, which means a greater risk of war in Europe. Otherwise sanctions would be useless except as a moral protest.

The Journal's Geneva correspondent features strenuous efforts by the Polish delegate, M. Komarnicki, of the Far Eastern sub-committee, to get a report absolving Japan and making Chinese provocation responsible for the war. He says, "This is most significant and supports the belief long held that in Eastern Europe there is close understanding between Japan and Poland. It is certain there are close relations between the Japanese Embassy at Warsaw and the Polish Ukrainians."

FRENCHMEN KILLED IN PLANE WRECK

CHARRED BODIES RECOVERED AFTER CRASH

Singapore, Oct. 2.

The charred bodies of Messrs. A. M. L. Menezes and F. J. Galt, two Kuala Lumpur Frenchmen of the Socfin Company Ltd., who had been missing since Thursday, have been found lying amid the burnt and twisted remains of the Miles Hawk monoplane in which they were flying from Kuala Lumpur to Laba.

The wreckage was found on a slope of Mount Ophir in Sagil Estate area, North Johore, and only seven miles from Tangkak village from where the first hint of the tragedy came.

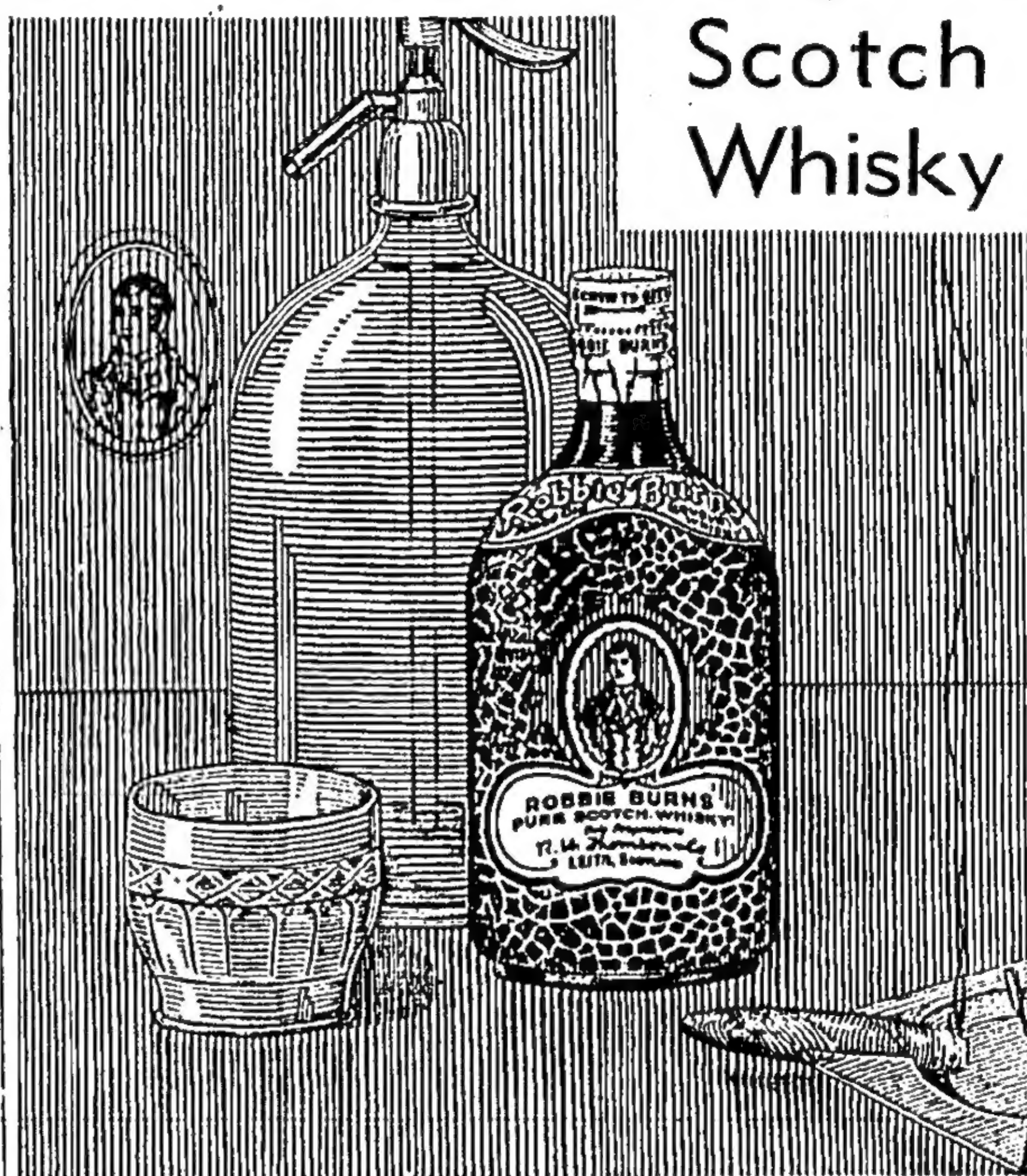
The successful search party which hacked its way through the forest was led by Mr. W. H. Faulkner Willis, of United Engineers, Ltd., Tangkak, who first stumbled across the wings of the plane in thick jungle forty yards away, and lying on a dry river bed in a ravine was the blackened, rainsoaked body of the plane.

Huge boulders around were scorching as it lay in terrific heat. From the appearance of the wreck, it is believed that after its wings were ripped off by trees, the plane nose-dived down, struck a large rock and exploded.

The occupants are believed to have been knocked unconscious, for their unrecognisable bodies lay close together amid the remains of the machine.

who appear to have forgotten their grievances against the Polish Government and are devoting themselves principally to stirring up trouble in Russo-Ukraine."—Reuter.

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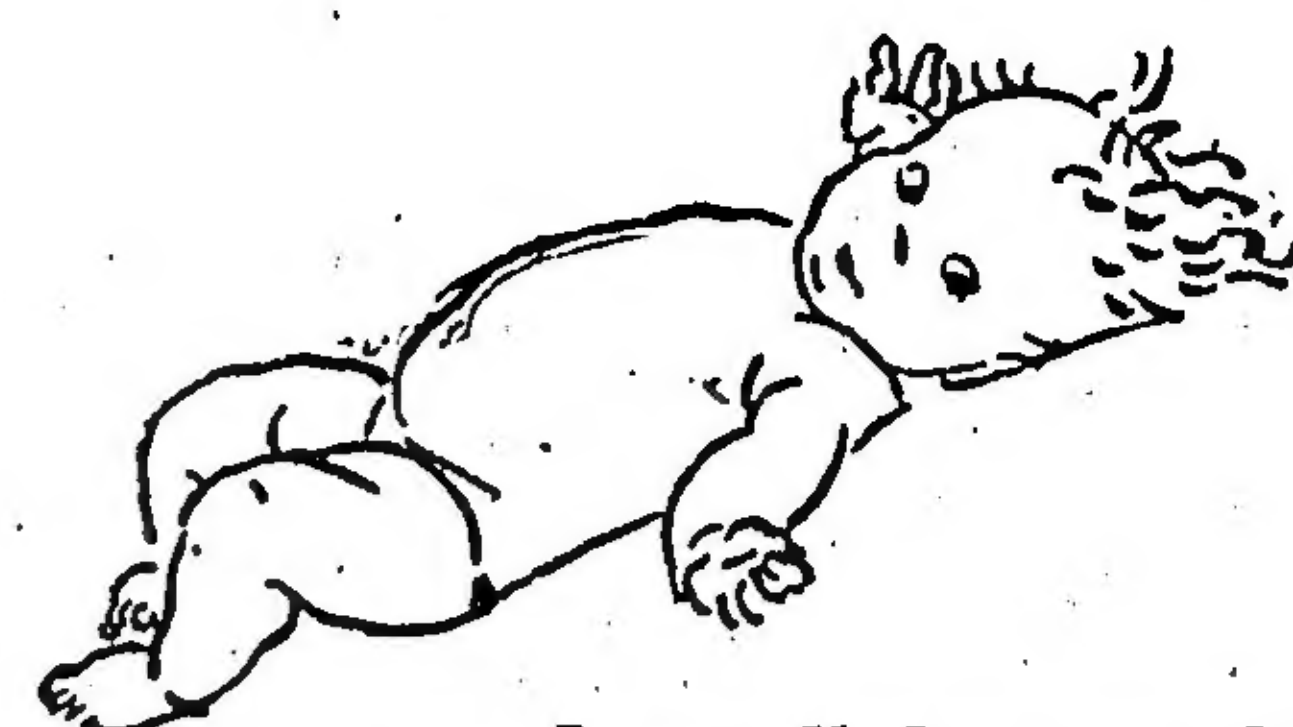
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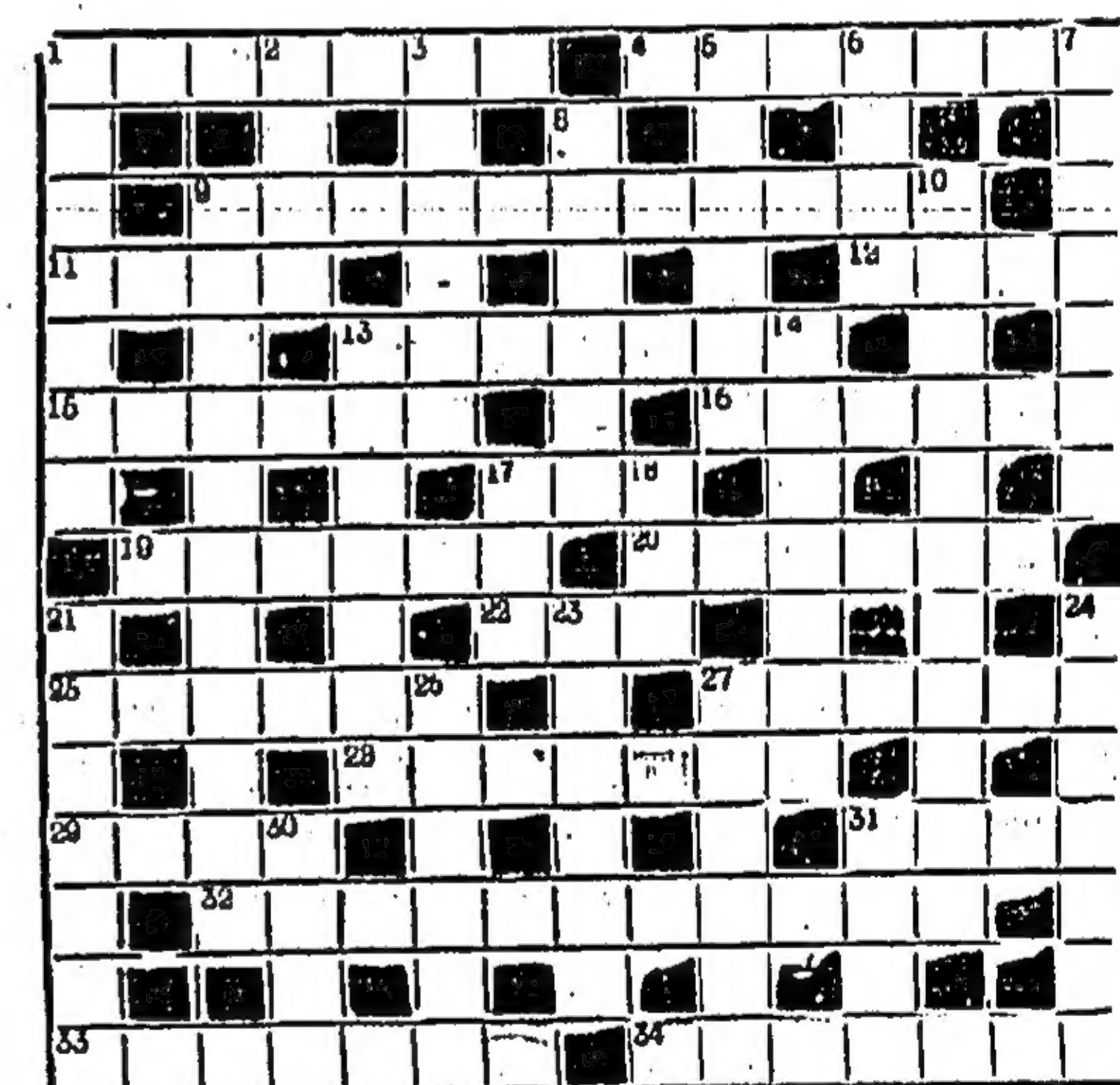
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- 11 Of bank notes possibly, or exchanged with a couple of fifties, who broke every day.
- 12 The name of the parlormaid.
- 13 Ask in some paper.
- 15 Points (anagram).
- 16 May go all the way from London to Brighton with a couple of pages following them.
- 17 Known to the Governor.
- 18 Withdraw in a trance.
- 20 Abolished.
- 22 Attention!
- 25 Every Corpus man should get this.
- 27 Wants an ant to put on the other side of the world.
- 28 Recount.
- 29 Black air.
- 31 At the head of the chapter.
- 32 Dependent on dripping for their existence.
- 33 Karyoto (anagram).
- 34 In irritable fashion.

DOWN

- 1 A female Moroccan need never despair of one day becoming a London Lord Mayor.
- 2 Supply of water that doesn't sound any too hot.
- 3 Not so long ago centre displaced.
- 5 Declare.
- 6 It's hurred in poetry.
- 7 Stridest phage.

- 8 Is prosecuted or published.
- 9 The inside of this old weapon is beneath a vehicle.
- 10 There's someone pulling the strings when they get to work.
- 13 Is father half hanged in the land of Omar.
- 14 Everyone the solver makes helps the rubber market.
- 17 Consumed.
- 18 Instance of present-day progress.
- 21 A wine.
- 23 A large portion of the world.
- 24 You won't see much of this on the Tube.
- 26 Often seen at a 33 Across.
- 27 Garments that are half the rage.
- 30 Full at the finish of one sentence.
- 31 Dextrous.

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After-The-Show Party

Brighton, Sept. 3.
THERE was an empty place in the chorus when "Patria," Brighton's summer ice show, was given to-night at the Sports Stadium—that of twenty-three-year-old Winifred ("Bunny") Mayne, most beautiful girl in the show.

Bunny Mayne and others of the company drove in two cars to a party at friend's house at Rustington after last night's show. On the way home early this morning one of the cars struck a horse, overturned, pinning all but one of its occupants to the ground. Bunny Mayne was killed instantly.

Mr. Douglas Priggen (known as Douglas Delaney), of Temple-road, N.W., the show's thirty-one-year-old stage manager, died later.

In hospital at Shoreham are twenty-four-year-old John Caruana, of Albany-villas, Hove, the stadium's publicity manager, and a Sussex cricketer, critically ill—he was thrown clear, but his head struck the kerb—and twenty-eight-year-old Eric Hudson, member of the show.

Mr. A. P. Herbert Makes Voyage From Canton

The first steamer to reach here from up river since the channel a few miles above Iloilo Tiger was completely blocked on Friday, arrived here yesterday. She was the small steamer On Lee, normally on the Kanton river. Having successfully negotiated the boom she is scheduled to leave here this afternoon on the return trip.

Reports from the On Lee's commander, Captain S. H. Lau, indicate that although the Chinese military authorities sank ships in the one remaining channel to the West River and then announced that all shipping was suspended, there still remains a narrow channel through which small ships may pass. This channel is only 14 feet deep at high tide and about seven feet at low tide, and no more than 50 feet wide.

The On Lee, being one of the smaller river steamers, was able to negotiate the channel safely and numerous other steamers on the Canton River runs could, with care and a favourable tide, also get through despite the boom. Large vessels such as the Fatsun and Taishan might just get through.

The On Lee, which carried only a few Chinese passengers, saw neither Chinese nor Japanese warships throughout her voyage down the Canton River and to Hongkong via Macao. The Macao call was made on account of the threatening typhoon, the ship making a special call there last night in order to lie at anchor during the blow.

MANY HARBOURS BLOCKED
Canton, Oct. 5.
To some extent by mining, but mostly by the sinking of hulks filled with rock and concrete ingress to Blas Bay has been prevented. Similarly the entrances to the harbours at Hoihow, Swatow, Swatue and Ngaimun in Sunwei district have been closed. For the most part salt junks and kindling boats have been scuttled, the Wang Tung News Agency adds. Over 50 such vessels were commandeered, but the reasonable value of each will be paid to their owners by the Government.

Notices sent to all the Shamen Consuls give no hint as to when the Pearl River will be re-opened to navigation. Hongkong and Macao steamship companies, therefore, have informed consignees they should take back the freight they had placed aboard ships.—Our Own Correspondent.

WEST RIVER TRAFFIC
The Canton Daily Sun reports that owing to the suspension of shipping between Hongkong and Canton a steamship company in Canton intends to open a shipping service between Canton and Wuchow.

The Canton-Sunshui Railway has resumed its normal traffic following an interruption since September 12, when its bridges were damaged by flood.

Dysentery Danger

26 Cholera Deaths,
25 New Cases
In Week Past

Health returns for the week ending midnight on October 2 reveal that although the cholera epidemic is definitely on the wane, another disease, dysentery, shows signs of becoming a menace to the Colony's health. Sixteen cases of dysentery, with six deaths, have been reported.

The death rate in cholera cases is still high, the week ending October 2 producing 26 deaths and 25 new cases. Seven of these were from Victoria, seven from Kowloon, one each from Shaukiwan and Aberdeen, four from the New Territories, five from the Harbour and one imported.

During the 24 hours ended at midnight on Monday, four more cases of cholera (from Victoria district) were also reported. Cholera cases to date total 1,687.

One case of small pox, four of diphtheria with two deaths, one fatal case of meningitis, and 76 deaths from tuberculosis were reported during the week.

In the 24 hours ended at midnight on Monday, a further case of diphtheria and two cases each of typhoid and dysentery were noted. Quarantine restrictions have been imposed by the Customs authorities at Chefoo against arrivals from Hongkong on account of cholera here, the Colonial Secretary office announced to-day.

Attempt To Open River To Free Ships

That British consular authorities in Canton are endeavouring to persuade the Fourth Route Army to lift the Pearl River barrier long enough to set free British and foreign shipping bottled up there, it was unofficially learned this morning.

However, it is felt in local shipping circles that it is very unlikely that the Chinese will open the barrier at present.

NO UNION WITH COMMUNISTS

London, Oct. 6.
By a majority of 1,750,000 votes the Labour Party Congress at Bourne-mouth last night reaffirmed its policy of non-co-operation with Communists. A vote was taken on a motion calling on all members to refrain from joint activity with Communists and the Independent Labour Party.

The motion was bitterly assailed by Sir Stafford Cripps.—Reuter.

AIR RAID ALARM

Canton, Oct. 6.
For the first time since noon Sunday an air raid alarm sounded in Canton at 8.15 a.m. to-day.—Reuter.

PRINCESS IS ILL

London, Oct. 5.
Princess Paul of Yugoslavia, sister of the Duchess of Kent, to-day underwent an operation for appendicitis at a London nursing home and is now making good progress.—Reuter.

STOP PRESS NEWS

ALHAMBRA

FINAL SHOWINGS TO-DAY
PIRACY TO-DAY! LAYING SIEGE TO MODERN TREASURE CARS!



TO-MORROW "SHE HAD TO EAT"
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TO-MORROW BERT WHEELER - ROBERT WOOLSEY
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ALSO HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP CONTEST
JOE LOUIS vs. TOMMY FARR

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TO-DAY, ONE DAY ONLY



DOROTHY LAMOUR - LEW AYRES - GILBERT ROLAND
TO-MORROW "STAGE STRUCK"
DICK POWELL JOAN BLONDELL in

Told Children Ghost Yarns: Must Die

Moscow.
SENTENCE of death has been passed at Daryzhansky, in the Kirghiz republic of the U.S.S.R., on a schoolteacher and a Mohammedan priest who were found guilty of frightening children with tales of demons and ghosts. They were also accused of corrupting the morals of the children.

Many hundreds have been given for 6,000,000 copies of a book which the Soviet Press calls "A Gift to Schoolchildren." The book is a Russian history. It denounces Rykov and Bukharin, and other leaders for several months as "organizers of the band of traitors who were spies who killed the great Soviet people."

All other books have been banned, so that is all the children have read about in school. It was cancelled Lenin as President of the Union of Soviet Republics, and about Bukharin, former prime minister and president of the Communist International.

Nikolai Shtrom, a prominent, who was executed in 1934. A young girl named Nikolai was found guilty and executed. Many others have been found guilty of complicity and executed.

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STATUE NEXT MONTH

London, Oct. 1.

The Duke of Gloucester will visit a statue of the late Field Marshal Earl Ralph in Whitehall on afternoon before Anniversary Day British Warship.

SUITS



Necklines are high, whether in the double-breasted bolero type of jacket or in the hip-length fitted jacket. Width is maintained at shoulders, introduced at hips by slanting pockets.

JACKETS

Shoulders just squared, extra breadth given by wide collars and revers, which often stand out beyond the shoulders.

Hip length and waisted, and also loose box type. Boleros both double and single breasted. Mostly high front fastenings.

SKIRTS

Length midway between knee and calf. Line, slightly flared; also tube-like, sometimes pleated.

WAISTS

Mostly normal, but some are on the slope, rather high in front and low at the back; belts are mostly narrow, or skirts are built up and belted. Over-boleros and waist-coat-blouses are much more seen than tuck-in-blouses.

SLEEVES

Various, but in the tailored suits long and slim. The blouses that go with them may have sleeves any length between mid-upper arm and long to the wrist. These are sometimes full into a narrow cuff.



Black skirt worn over check frock. Skirt slit at each side to show checks slipped at left side to waist. When removed leaves check dress complete.

Paris. It may sound paradoxical, but according to the new Paris line you must look broad and slim at the same time! That is to say, there is still the breadth at the shoulders that we have had throughout the beginning of the year, and this breadth has now been extended to the hips as well.

You may still indulge in a bust, and sometimes in a waist, too, but you must look very slim through from front to back, especially below the belt.

And with this new line the breadth of the shoulders is, for the most part, achieved differently from previously. In nine cases out of ten it is the collar on the coat, and not padded shoulders or big sleeves that gives the necessary width. Collars are immensely important again, instead of being practically non-existent. There are mighty few collarless necklines now on the coats and jackets of suits, or full length coats.

The illusion of width at the hips is given by pockets in the skirt.

At Chanel's show every mannequin wearing a suit appeared upon the stage with her hands dug into her hip pockets, as if to accentuate them.

Hay Diet Hints
Ice Creams
And Sundaes
Need Watching

What are basic foods? Raw fruits and vegetables are known as basic foods. They contain the strongest energy and life-giving chemicals and are alkaline in their reaction.

At which meals is ice cream permitted in the Hay Diet? The cream served at a protein meal should be made with cream and eggs, not milk and eggs. Any flavouring is permitted but no sugar. For a snack meal cream and egg yolks, brown sugar and any flavouring except acid fruits.

Are fruit sundaes allowed in the Hay Diet? Ice cream made with egg yolks and cream and flavoured with vanilla or cherry may be flavoured with chocolate, but not with fruit. Fruit sundaes are not permitted. A healthy diet is one that contains a balance of all the food groups.

Belts Locked On
COUNT THE "TELEGRAPHS" EVERYWHERE

and make quite sure that we could not fail to notice them.

The pockets are usually diagonal slits just below the waistline at each side in front. Chanel uses these pockets in the skirts of suits, day frocks and even evening dresses.

Chanel's favourite jacket is a double-breasted bolero with important collar and rather high V fastening in front. Her new skirt is a slightly flared one with centre front seam, often creased in order to accentuate it, and a rather narrow and slightly panel at the back. There are no pleats in this collection.

Creed, on the other hand, clings to the broad shoulder, and adds important revers as well, and his skirts are either short and straight, or with fullness or pleats in the back.

He also shows jackets with fullness at the back, several loose short box coats, and many tight-fitting redingotes.

Cuffs, pockets, collars, buttons, belts and lapels are all varied and of much interest in this collection.

SUITS are much worn under top coats. Another idea is a dress of rust red, blue and white check design on a black ground; over this there is a plain black skirt slit up each side to well above the knee, and over that again a black overcoat.

The skirt is zipped up on one side and can be taken off in a jiffy. Marcel Rochas introduced more colour into his Collection than any other I have seen so far.

OUR INQUIRY BUREAU
Don't Let "Boy" Slop Polish Over Furniture

Is there any way of cleaning stained upholstered furniture? Wash in warm soapy water and with a stiff brush scrub the stain gently with a very little whitening of this kind. Rinse and dry well. Polish with a soft cloth.

What causes marzipan to go oily and coarse? The only best quality of ground almonds on the inferior varieties sometimes contain peanuts and they are inclined to give an oily texture. Mix the almonds with lemon juice or a mixture of lemon juice and water. Sugar and lemon juice will make a little more possible. Never squeeze the mixture in the hands and knead with the thumbs only.

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He has given a second lease of life to the suit with pencil skirt of plain material and little waisted jacket of a patterned material. A suit with plain leaf green tweed skirt has a little fitted jacket of green and white check with two hip and two breast pockets. The pockets, collar and revers are piped with wine purple and a purple silk scarf is tucked into the front.

Jackets and coats mostly fasten rather high in front. Another of Rochas's tweed ensembles has a thigh length box coat of pale blue colour with wine check, plain blue skirt and fitted jacket, the back, sleeves and yoke front are made of the check material, and the remainder of the front of the plain blue.

In this Collection, which is a big one, there are the neatest black suits of face cloth or woollen, very beautifully tailored. Each one has some bright touch of colour. One has a four-inch band of brightest blue let in at the waist in the jacket with two hip pockets part and parcel with it. Another is trimmed with two perpendicular rows of narrow purple braid each side of the front panel on the skirt and a row of the braid on the jacket too.

Others have collars of brightest royal blue velvet, or wine purple velvet. Royal blue and wine purple are Rochas favourite colour alliance this season, especially with black.

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Dinner For Two DISHES FOR THOSE TETE-A-TETE MEALS

By Lucille Bellairs

CATERING for a small family—two people, maybe—has its disadvantages, because most of the larger joints are "ruled out."

There is however much variety in the method of cooking dishes which are otherwise quite ordinary. Cutlets, for instance, are an excellent choice for a small family, and you can either make them of boned and trimmed chops, or they may be cut from an under-done leg of roast or boiled lamb of mutton. Slices should be of even thickness shaped to look like short neck chops. They may be egg and crumbed and served with a good sauce or puree, or they may be cooked in various other ways.

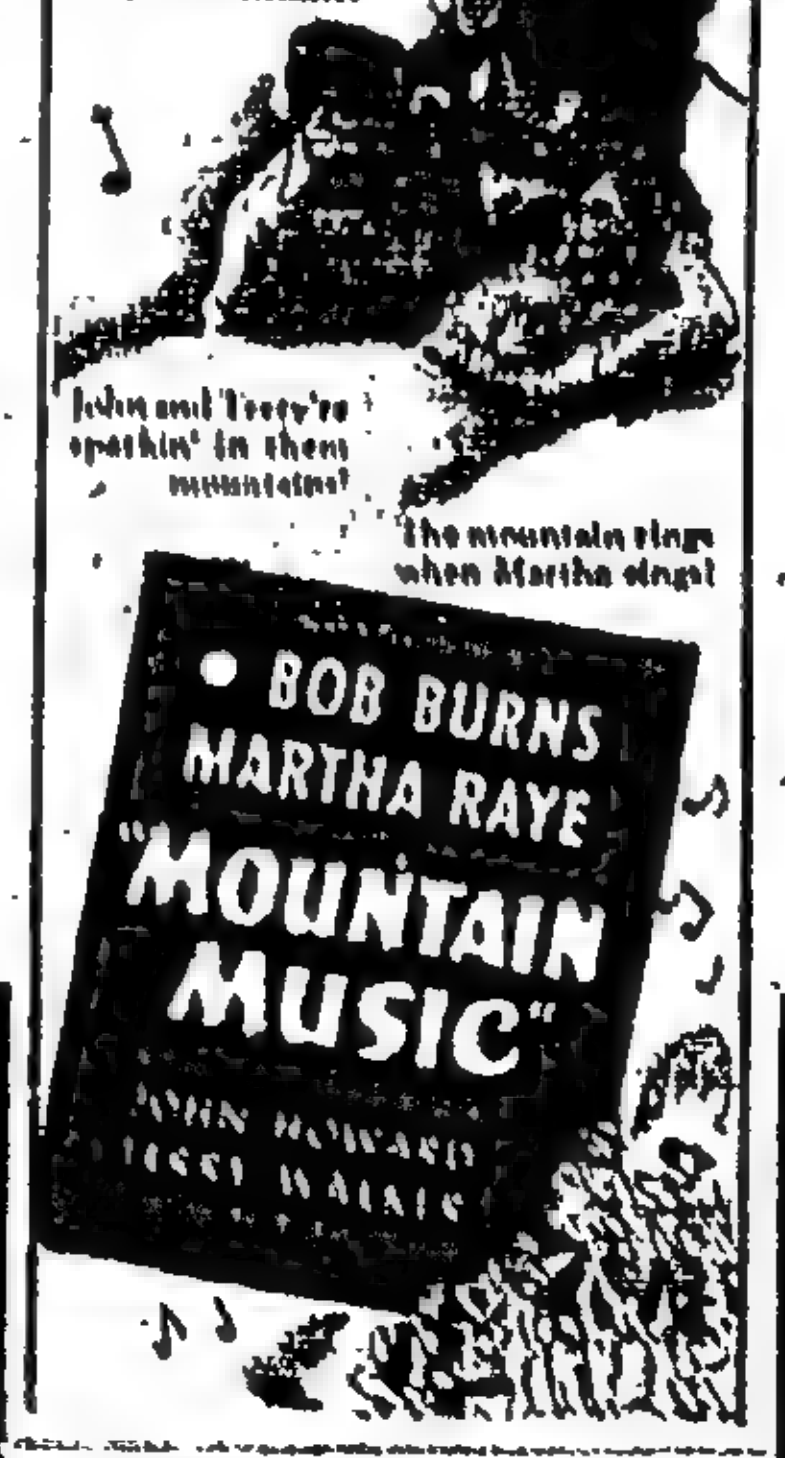
PREPARE a well seasoned and sufficiently thick mince of cooked onions and let it get cold. Trim some cutlets, season, and dip them in butter. Fry them on one side, cooked side with a layer of the minced onion. Sprinkle fine bread-crumbs over them, and brush lightly with oil. Make some butter hot in a fireproof dish, and place the cutlets in, uncooked side down. Finish cooking them in a hot oven, letting the upper surface brown. Send to table in the dish in which they were cooked, and with a tureen of good brown gravy.

LARD the cutlets with bacon, gherkins, and fillets of anchovies. Put them for an hour and a half in a marinade of oil, chopped shallots or onions, parsley, sweet herbs, pepper and salt. Then wrap them in thin slices of bacon fat, and cook them in a saucepan in the marinade. Put a lump of butter in a small saucepan with some chopped shallots, parsley and a little flour. Stir for a minute or two.

Skim the marinade in which the cutlets were cooked and add to it the butter and flour with two or three tablespoonsful of brown gravy. Stir, boil for a minute, finish with a little lemon juice, pour over the cutlets and serve.

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SPARKLING PYERIS

NAVY WILL GROOM YOUNG A.B.s FOR UPPER DECK Course In The Things To Do

THE social "do's and don'ts" in the life of a British naval officer have often puzzled the new-comer promoted from the lower deck.

Lack of knowledge on the subjects of dress and custom sometimes leads to "awkward moments" for him.

Now all that is to be changed. Successful ratings are to attend lessons, prepared by the Admiralty, on naval etiquette.

Under the new promotion scheme recently announced, promising young seamen will have a nine months' special course of instruction, but for their grounding in etiquette they will receive instruction at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich.

There they will live the life of an acting sub-lieutenant.

TWELVE UNIFORMS
The would-be officer will be taught, for example, the correct dress to wear for the fifty-seven separate types of occasion envisaged by the Admiralty and set out in the Appendix to the Navy List.

These occasions range from the reception of royalty to an afternoon tea dance, from a court-martial to spending a Sunday ashore in the tropics, from a funeral to boarding a foreign warship.

He will be taught every detail of his twelve uniforms (says the Sunday Express), which are styled:—

Full dress.	Mess dress.
Ball dress.	White full dress.
Formal dress.	White dress.
Formal dress with capulet.	White underdress.
Formal dress with capulet.	White mess dress.
Mess dress.	White mess dress.
Underdress.	Underdress.

He must know when it is the "correct thing" to wear medals, in what order they are to be worn, and what kind of necktie, socks and shirt go with each uniform.

IF HE IS LATE
He will find it against King's Regulations to wear jewellery with uniforms.

At fancy dress balls officers are not to wear naval uniforms except

at those given by the Governor of Malta. They are not prohibited, however, from appearing at fancy dress balls elsewhere in naval uniform of a date anterior to 1843.

If an officer is late in attending mess dinner, he must go up to the president of the table and ask to be excused before he sits down.

HIS PRIVILEGE
He must go through the same procedure if he wishes to leave during the dinner. But this does not apply to other meals.

As a naval officer he is privileged to remain seated when the royal toast is drunk.

No lady's name may be mentioned in conversation until the royal toast has been drunk.

If any officer indulges in unpleasant language in the mess room he can be called to order by the president and fined a round of drinks.

If he has been commissioned a sub-lieutenant his wine bill on board must not exceed two pounds a month. If he wishes to be married he must sign a naval wedding form and state whether he or his fiancée is a divorced person.

ON MARRIAGE
All mess-room debts have to be settled by the end of the month.

The new officer must know the intricacies of saluting other members of the ship's company, whom to address as "Sir" and whom as "Mr."

There is no excuse for not recognizing an officer in plain clothes. If he wishes to be married he must sign a naval wedding form and state whether he or his fiancée is a divorced person.

He is forbidden to grow a beard without the captain's permission. If it is granted, he must grow a moustache with it. But he cannot grow a moustache alone.

An Admiralty official told me, "The etiquette may sound formidable to a layman, but the man to be promoted will have already had three years' drill and will soon be at home with his new social duties."



Valentina Rjabschenko who is smiling from the pilot seat in her plane, is the first woman aviation instructor of the Ukraine. She teaches at an aviation school in Charkov.

£1,000-A-Year Women With No One To Wed

THE problem of the £1,000-a-year woman of business who "did not wish to give up her work to marry, and yet wished to bear children," was discussed by Mr. St. John Ervine, the dramatist, at the Modern Churchmen's Conference at Cambridge recently.

Farouk Gives Fiancee £10,000

By A Correspondent

CAIRO.
FARIDA ("PEERLESS") ZULFIKAR, bride-to-be of King Farouk of Egypt, received from him recently on her sixteenth birthday a cheque for £10,000 and a note expressing his wishes. A party was held in the afternoon at the King's summer palace at Montaza, six miles from Alexandria, where Farida has often played with King Farouk's sisters and where the wedding will probably be celebrated next year. Farida is busy preparing her trousseau, which Farouk insists must be of purely Egyptian material and workmanship.

When Food Disagrees With Your Baby.

Nothing is more common in childhood than indigestion which is generally caused by errors in diet. The delicate organs of a young child are quick to rebel if his food is unsuitable, or if he has over eaten.

To correct the trouble and quickly to restore happy well-being there is nothing better than Baby's Own Tablets. The gentle laxative action of the tablets clears the intestines of the offending matter and sweetens the stomach. Careful attention to diet and an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets thereafter will keep the little one free from digestive disorders.

Even the most fastidious parents may use Baby's Own Tablets with full confidence for they are the prescription of a doctor who made a special study of children and their ailments. Equally good for the prompt and effective correction of minor health upsets, constipation, colic, diarrhoea, simple fever, colds, croup, to expel worms and ease the pains of teething, the ideal home remedy for your little ones is

Baby's Own Tablets.



"You have every right to be, Mrs. Evans, I can see a wonderful improvement since you took my advice about 'California Syrup of Figs'."

"I could tell from what you said that there must be toxin in their systems. When children are cross and peevish and lose interest in their food and games, you can be practically sure it's an accumulation of poisonous matter upsetting their insides. I've seen it so often! Just cleanse the system in a safe, natural way, children go ahead like wildfire."

"But do be sure always to give them 'California Syrup of Figs.' It's a natural laxative which safely cleanses and purifies the blood, softens and builds the bowels, and creates a fine healthy appetite. It's the only thing that does it. I've seen it so often! Just cleanse the system in a safe, natural way, children go ahead like wildfire."

"While giving a consultation of children's ailments, I was asked to suggest a laxative for a young child who was suffering from constipation. I suggested 'California Syrup of Figs' and the mother said: 'I'll try it for the first time.'"

Just another 5 minutes - wish I didn't always wake so tired. Those wretched directors are meeting this morning too!

All their happiness depended on him.

Oh, Mr. Martin! I had to send that report into the directors' meeting without you seeing it. Sorry couldn't wait. But I checked it carefully.

THINKS: Very efficient - but not your job, young man.

MEANWHILE IN THE DIRECTORS' MEETING:

But, my dear sir, Martin looks half asleep all day. If the younger man can do the job better, Martin must take the consequences. I'll talk to Martin.

THAT NIGHT

THINKS: Their happiness depends on my job...! The directors are right, I am half asleep. I'll simply have to see a doctor about this wretched tiredness.

THE DOCTOR SAYS:

Let's this waking tired that's holding you back! Even during sleep, heartbeats and other automatic actions go on using up energy. Unless energy's replaced during sleep, of course you wake tired - Night Starvation! I advise Horlick's.

Darling! Remember I'm getting a rise this month. I hate to see you slaving and doing all the housework yourself. Let's get a daily help in.

3 MONTHS LATER

Does your husband wake tired?

If he does, see to it that he gets Horlick's regularly, a cupful every night. He'll get the right kind of sleep, and wake refreshed. He'll be able to concentrate better, he won't be half-capped any longer at his work by tiredness and loss of energy.

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No. 23 A/37

Bringing Cargo from Marseilles via Hongkong etc. arrived Hongkong on Monday, 2nd October, 1937.

Consignees are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Cotton, Textiles and Valuables are being landed and stored into the Godowns of the Hongkong & Shanghai Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before 14th October 1937, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor Messrs. Goddard and Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10 a.m. on Friday, 9th October, 1937.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

MEHAGH & CO. HONGKONG, 2nd October, 1937.

COMPANIES DEN MESSAGERS MAINTENANCE.

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YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS

London, Oct. 5	Today's Price	Change
100 Gold Loan	91	91
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

G. R. HONG KONG EVENING INSTITUTE

The Institute will re-open on Monday, 14th October, 1937. Provision will be made for instruction in Book Keeping, Electrical Engineering, English, Field Surveying, shorthand, Teachers' Classes and Trade Classes.

Entry Forms and copies of Prospectus may be obtained at the Education Department or Trade School.

J. RALSTON, Director.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Monday, the 25th October, 1937, a drawing for the redemption of thirty (30) Debentures will be held in the Pavilion at 6.00 p.m.

The numbers of the Debentures drawn will be published in the Hongkong Government Gazette and the local Newspapers, and holders of drawn Debentures may, upon giving notice to the Treasurer, waive the six months' notice to which they are entitled, apply to the Treasurer, Messrs. Percy Smith, 26th and 28th, for payment of the principal and interest to the 31st October, 1937.

By Order of the Committee, A. K. MACKENZIE, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 5th October, 1937.

THE HONG KONG SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF CHILDREN.

What to do to help a child

Anyone knowing of a child who has been assaulted, neglected, or ill-treated in a manner likely to cause unnecessary suffering or injury to health, or knowing of a parent who is seeking advice on any matter concerning a child, would be doing an act of kindness by communicating at once with—

The Hon. Secretaries, R. K. S. C. (20) (P.O. Box No. 513, Hongkong), or the Inspector, 40, Victoria Road, 1st Floor, or the Inspector, Violet Peel Health Centre, Wanchai, or the Inspector, 12, 1st Young Choi Street, 1st floor, Kowloon.

All further steps will be taken, and expenses borne, by the Society.

The Informant's name will be kept strictly private, except in cases where notice is proved.

CONCERT IN AID OF RED CROSS

In order to raise money for the purchase of material by the International Medical Relief Committee,

some of Hongkong's favourite singers and instrumentalists are giving their services for a performance of light concert music, to be held in the Rose Room of the Peninsula Hotel on October 20, at 8.15 p.m. The programme, which is being arranged by a capable organizer, consists of solos, vocal quartettes and instrumental trios and promises a delightful evening's entertainment.

ACTION FOR INTEREST

An action for interest due in respect of two debentures issued by the Loh and Tong Co., Ltd., of 100,000, the Viceroy Hotel, Central, was commenced this morning in the District Court by the Loh and Tong Co., Ltd., against the Viceroy Hotel, Central, for the sum of \$44,000. The action was commenced by the Loh and Tong Co., Ltd., for the sum of \$44,000. The action was commenced by the Loh and Tong Co., Ltd., for the sum of \$44,000.

ROOSEVELT ABANDONS ISOLATION

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Ruthless Murder

In jabbing sentences, President Roosevelt explained, without naming the nations which barred international equilibrium.

"Without a declaration of war, without a warning of justification of any kind, civilians, including women and children, are being ruthlessly murdered with bombs from the air," he declared.

"In times of so-called peace, ships are being attacked and sunk by submarines without cause or notice."

"Nations are committing and taking sides in wars that have never done them any harm."

"Nations claiming freedom for themselves deny it to others," he complained.

Innocents Sacrificed

Innocents are being sacrificed to the greed for power and supremacy, which are devoid of all justice, the President said.

"This reign of terror and lawlessness began a few years ago. There must be positive endeavours to preserve peace."

"America hates war. America hopes for peace. Therefore America actively engages in the search for peace."

In solemn language President Roosevelt warned his hearers that isolation was no protection. "I, as the responsible executive at the head of the nation, have chosen this great occasion to you of a subject of definite national importance," he warned.

"A 'hampering' fear of calamity pervades the air," he charged that the landmarks and traditions of civilization's progress towards law and order and justice were being swept away.

Must Strive Together

"If we are to have a world in which we can breathe freely, live in comfort and peace, nations must make a concerted effort to uphold the law and the principles on which, alone, peace can rest secure."

"There must be a return to belief in the pledged word, and to the value of the signed treaty. There must be recognition of the fact that mutual hostility is as vital as private morality."

President Roosevelt was speaking on this occasion at the dedication of Chicago's "Outer Line" bridge and he congratulated the city and nation on the structure.

"We can spend our resources on such projects as soil conservation and other useful endeavours, but we cannot afford to neglect the need of spending half our wealth for armaments, either in the spirit of fear or aggression," he said.

Concerted Action Advised

Chicago, Oct. 5. The peace, freedom and security of ninety per cent. of the world's population are jeopardized by the remaining ten per cent., declared President F. D. Roosevelt in the major speech of his so-called "public feeling" trip across the country.

To-night he asserted that the high aspirations of the Brandt-Kellogg Pact had given way to the haunting fear of calamity. The reign of terror and lawlessness had reached a stage where the very foundations of civilization were being threatened.

Without a declaration of war, without warning or justification, civilians, including women and children, were being ruthlessly murdered with bombs from the air, President Roosevelt reminded his hearers.

In times of so-called peace, ships were attacked and sunk by submarines without cause or notice. Nations claiming peace for themselves deny it to others. Innocent peoples were being sacrificed cruelly to greed and power, supremacy of the strong.

Quoting a passage from the book, "The Hunchback of Notre-Dame," President Roosevelt said that the technique of killing which might engulf every man, woman and child, is not a new thing. It is a technique which has been used in other parts of the world, but in no part has it been so widespread as it is today.

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International Interdependence

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BANDITS BATTLE BRAVELY

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freed area. But they point out that they are disorganized and helpless. A rigorous search is being conducted for hidden stores of arms and ammunition.—Reuter.

Fierce Fighting Near Tchchow

Tsinan, Oct. 5. Fierce fighting is raging in the vicinity of Tchchow where the Chinese, against odds, are still holding the town.

The Japanese planes and artillery have pounded the Chinese defences for several hours but have made no progress in their southward push.

Chambers on both sides are reported to be heavy.

Chinese reinforcements are being rushed northward to check the Japanese drive.

Japanese planes have scouted over a number of districts south of Tchchow and released a number of bombs, but the damage is slight.—Central News.

Warship Damage

Shanghai, Oct. 5. A Japanese navy spokesman said yesterday that Chinese warships had been damaged, grounded or sunk since the beginning of the hostilities, including four sunk, plus the two which the Chinese are using to form the Yangtze barrier.

He said that Chinese customs ships have not been attacked during the past month on account of the arrangement with Sir Frederick Maze, Inspector-General of Customs, protesting vigorously against the bombing of two customs ships at Ningpo in August last.—United Press.

Chinese Success

Shanghai, Oct. 5. Further military successes in Northern China were reported with the capture of Taiyichen by the Chinese troops, which is 50 miles north of Yenchow.

Yenchow, which is South-East of Taiyichen, has also been recaptured by the Chinese troops. Lung Yao on the Shan-Tai border was likewise reported to have been recaptured from the Japanese-Manchukuo forces.

On the Peiping-Hankow Railway front, some Chinese plain-clothes men have entered Changchun, south of Peiping. Certain Chinese units are also reported to have reached a point north of that town.—International News Agency.

Japanese Claims

Tsinan, Oct. 5. Japanese military authorities have announced that Japanese units have occupied Kumbien in Shantung and North Taiyuan after Japanese bombers had demolished the Chinese military headquarters at Taiyuan.

General Han Fu-chu has decreed the death penalty on all troops participating in unauthorized withdrawal from Shantung.—United Press.

Japanese Officers Killed Near Hongkew

Shanghai, Oct. 5. According to information from reliable sources, a number of high Japanese military officers were killed yesterday afternoon near the vicinity of the Japanese naval building party headquarters by a shell explosion. The officers were travelling in a motorcade when the shell struck the vehicle, demolishing it and killing all the occupants, including the chauffeur.—Central News.

200 Japanese Routed Near Fuh Tan University

Shanghai, Oct. 5. A Chinese flying column moving south from Chongchiatang, 200 Japanese in the vicinity of Fuh Tan University late yesterday afternoon. The Japanese were pushing along Kiangwan and Hsiening Roads behind the Tung Teh Medical School when they were attacked from the right. A number of soldiers were reported to have been killed while the others fled in confusion.—Central News.

Unconquered League

Washington, Oct. 5. Newly well-informed circles here President Roosevelt's Chicago speech is one of the most important for his career in foreign affairs, and there is much speculation as to whether the United States is contemplating some move designed to prevent the advent of the armistice and the Russian conflict.

Some observers are of the opinion that the speech indicated a future effort in the direction of isolating all nations from world commerce.

The speech generally is taken to be a warning that President Roosevelt is preparing to take the initiative, but it is not the speech is meant to encourage the League of Nations to proceed with action and more practical measures against aggression, which would require the full support of the United States.—Reuter.

U.S. WILL BACK LEAGUE ACTION

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peace-loving peoples will acclaim President Roosevelt's speech which gives clear evidence of the traditional policy of the United States, and of her important role in the furtherance of peace and international cooperation.

"Internationally, aggression which makes China suffer at the hands of the Japanese is indeed analogous and a continuation of the aggression which the whole world spread throughout the whole world community. The ruthless aggression of the Japanese army in China can be compared with equal appropriateness to a grave crime in civil society which renders the door not only open to the injured party, but also liable to moral condemnation and legal punishment by the whole of society."

Dr. Wang said it was their nations should feel conscious of their obligations under international covenants, which Japan has repeatedly violated, and to crystallize their moral forces into concrete action in the cause of peace which is inseparable from the prospect of world peace.

President Roosevelt's speech has indicated that the United States committed with the League Sub-Committee view that Japan had violated the Nine-Power Treaty, according to expert interpretation. He said he expected interpretation.

He said that President Roosevelt had not said what President Roosevelt had said regarding ten per cent. of the nations who were disturbing peace, that they involve definite violations of agreements and especially the Covenant of the League and the Brandt-Kellogg Nine-Power Pact.—United Press.

BOMBERS SEEN OVER CANTON

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Railway in northern Kiangsu and Southern Shantung on Monday, according to an investigation completed today.

One refugee train was hit at Hanchung while the tracks and station were slightly damaged. The planes, numbering 10, also raided Tachung, Linchun, Tachung and Yenchow. The details of the bombings in these places have not been ascertained.—Central News.

Japanese Airbase In Shanghai Damaged

Shanghai, Oct. 5. The fleet of Chinese bombers which staged a surprise raid over the Japanese positions in Shanghai last night inflicted heavy damage on the new Japanese air base near the Shanghai University campus off Point Island. It was officially reported today.

Eight bombs released by the Chinese bombers fell directly on the Japanese hangars, immediately starting a huge fire and demolishing numerous newly-constructed buildings.

Despite the firing from anti-aircraft guns and machine-guns, the Chinese planes continued to scout over Hongkew and Yangtzeport dropping their missiles before flying away.

The Chinese admit that one of their planes was damaged but the pilot managed to land the machine behind the Chinese lines.—Central News.

HEAVY CUTS IN IMPORTS

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Tokyo, Oct. 5. According to the Japan News Agency the estimated total of the import restrictions ordered yesterday amounts to yen 300,000,000 annually. Cotton imports have been restricted by ten per cent, which is equivalent to yen 15,000,000 and wool has been restricted by 30 per cent., which is equal to yen 60,000,000.—United Press.

FOREIGN SECRETARY SPENDS WEEK-END IN YORKSHIRE

London, Oct. 5. Mr. Anthony Eden who has been spending the week-end in Yorkshire, is returning to London to-night, and will be present at to-morrow's meeting of the Cabinet, which, as renovations of the Cabinet room at No. 10 Downing Street are now completed, will meet again there for the first time since July.—British Wireless.

AIR RAID ALARM

Canton, Oct. 5. For the first time since noon Sunday an air raid alarm sounded in Canton at 8.15 a.m. to-day.—Reuter.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

A 22-year-old woman, Chan Chiu-ming, was taken to the Kowloon Hospital yesterday, after she had been found in her house in Fuk Wah Street. She had apparently swallowed a quantity of poison.

For the theft of a jacket containing one fountain pen, one packet of cigarettes and one key, Lau Chin was sentenced to one month's hard labour by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning.

A workman Leung Hung, on board the steamer Van Reutz, which is undergoing repairs at Taikeo Dock, fell into the harbour at the Backyard yesterday, and disappeared. He is believed to have drowned.

Suffering from injuries alleged to have been inflicted by a man named Sze Tung with a pair of scissors during a quarrel yesterday, Leung Kiu, 35, of 70 Tai Nam Street, was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital. He sustained wounds on the right side and back.

For the possession of opium dress, Tsin Kung, 25, servant, was fined \$112 by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning. The defendant stated that he did not know that carrying opium dress was an offence, and that he was on his way to sell the stuff.

After eating a meal of rice, meat and beancurd at their home, No. 103 Tung Choi Street, Mongkok, yesterday, Leung Kwan, a 70-year-old man, Tam Kam, 40, his wife, and Chan Kwei, 32, a woman, took ill, and were removed to the Kowloon Hospital, where it was found that they were suffering from food poisoning. The old man and Chun Kwei have since died.

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Brigadier H. G. Seth-Smith, D.S.O. 8th Heavy Brigade, R.A.—Major F. L. Roupell, M.C. and Mrs. Roupell; W. O. H. (QMS) Trevor and 23 details.

Fortress Royal Engineers.—Lieut. (QM) J. E. S. Holland, Mrs. Holland and children; W. O. I. Baber and Mrs. Baber; QMS. Wilde and Mrs. Wilde; S/Sgt. Chant, Mrs. Chant and child; and details.

Royal Corps of Signals.—CSM. Willis, Mrs. Willis and family; and 13 details.

5th A. A. Brigade, R.A.—20 details. 2nd Battalion Royal Welch Fusiliers.—CSM. Edge, Mrs. Edge and family; the following: wives and families of N.C.O.s in Shanghai: Mesdames Whym, Kluge, Green, Brooker, Cowan, Ingram, Hares, Raynor, Lodder, Casson, Martin, Jones, Beard, Cheley, Cutler, Flannigan, George, Grindley, Kretschmer, Spencer, Davies, Williams, McCourt, Grindley, Connor, Puchart, Thomas, Jackson, Andrews, Duckers and Campbell; and 18 details.

1st Battalion Seaforth Highlanders.—RSM. McIntosh, Mrs. McIntosh and family; Sgt. T. Clarke, Mrs. Clarke and family; Sgt. Stanton, Mrs. Stanton and family; and 39 details.

1st Middlesex Regiment.—2nd Lieut. W. P. M. Allen and 38 details.

1st Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles.—the following wives and families of men in Shanghai: Mesdames Attridge, Lindsay, Churn and Liddy; and 20 details.

Royal Army Service Corps.—Wives and families evacuated from Shanghai: Mesdames Toomer, Slade and Partington; and eight details.

Royal Army Medical Corps.—Lieut. Col. W. A. Frost, O.B.E., M.B.; Cpl. Hennessy, Mrs. Hennessy and family; Mrs. J. H. J. Crose and family; and the following evacuated from Shanghai: Mrs. Hamner, Mrs. Curney and family.

Royal Army Ordnance Corps.—Eight details.

Organising Relief Fund For China

London, Oct. 5. It is announced, with the approval of the Government, that the Lord Mayor of London is organising with the co-operation of the Governor of the Bank of England a fund for the relief of the Chinese.

The appeal states that the Lord Mayor is taking steps to organise the fund in the city of London in order that prompt and sufficient help may be given the people in China who are enduring untold suffering as a result of the hostilities in their country. It calls attention to the large number of British subjects affected.

A small committee will be formed representing all departments of financial and commercial life.

BRITISH SUFFERERS TO BE AIDED

London, Oct. 5. With reference to the Chinese relief appeal issued in the first instance by Sir Abe Bailey and subsequently supported by leading church signatories in England, which has been addressed to the public, it is clearly shown that British sufferers are to be included among those who receive relief.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong: Minato Maru, President Jefferson, Andre Le Bon, Hakusan Maru, President Hayes, Comorin, Corfu, Don Jose, Chengtu, Canton, Tatyuan, Sochow, Talithybus and Tjisadane.

Royal Army Pay Corps.—W. O. H. Hall and Mrs. Hall.

Royal Army Education Corps.—W. O. H. Russell and Mrs. Russell.

Queen Alexandra Imperial Military Nursing Sisters.—Sisters Misses A. G. Murrie, E. R. Buckley and K. M. Staley.

Financial Adviser's Staff.—Capt. A. Adison, Mrs. Adison and family.

Dysentery Danger

**26 Cholera Deaths,
25 New Cases
In Week Past**

Health returns for the week ending midnight on October 2 reveal that although the cholera epidemic is definitely on the wane, another disease, dysentery, shows signs of becoming a menace to the Colony's health. Sixteen cases of dysentery, with six deaths, have been reported.

The death rate in cholera cases is still high, the week ending October 2 producing 26 deaths and 25 new cases. Seven of these were from Victoria, seven from Kowloon, one each from Shaikwan and Aberdeen, four from the New Territories, five from the Harbour and one imported.

During the 24 hours ended at midnight on Monday, four more cases of cholera (from Victoria district) were also reported. Cholera cases to date total 1,607.

One case of small pox, four of diphtheria with two deaths, one fatal case of meningitis, and 76 deaths from tuberculosis were reported during the week.

In the 24 hours ended at midnight on Monday, a further case of diphtheria and two cases each of typhoid and dysentery were noted.

Quarantine restrictions have been imposed by the Customs authorities at Chefoo against arrivals from Hongkong on account of cholera here, the Colonial Secretary office announced to-day.

Attempt To Open River To Free Ships

That British consular authorities in Canton are endeavouring to persuade the Fourth Route Army to lift the Pearl River barrier long enough to set free British and foreign shipping bottled up there, it was unofficially learned this morning.

However, it is felt in local shipping circles that it is very unlikely that the Chinese will open the barrier at present.

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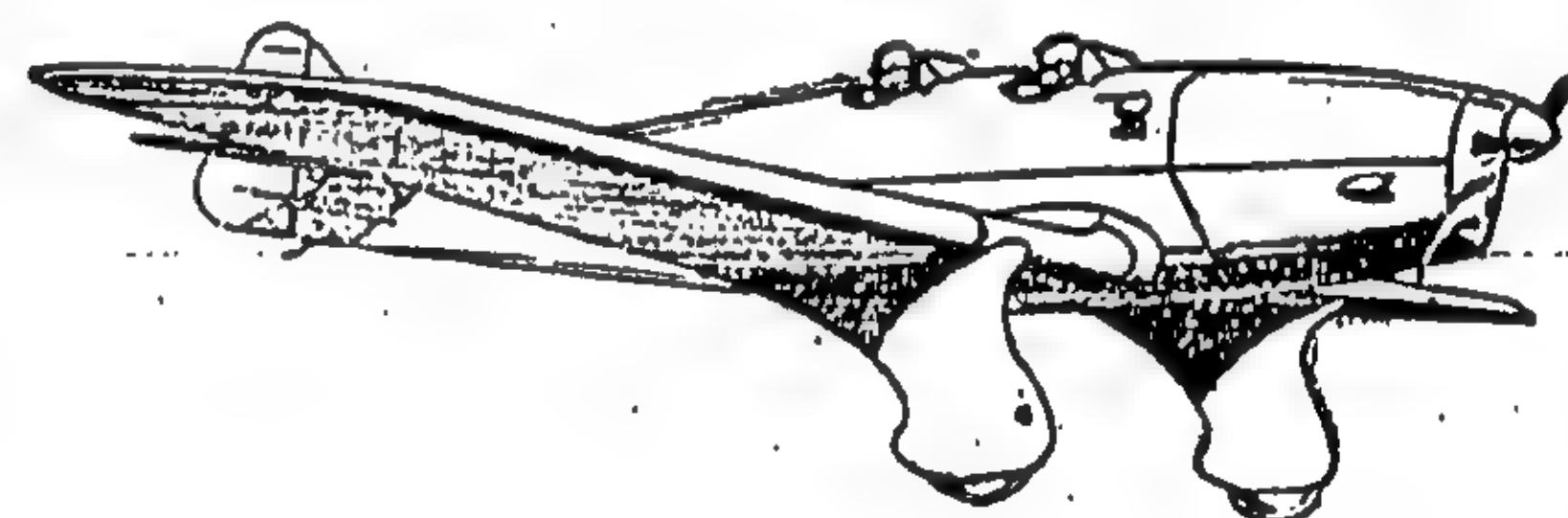
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43 YEARS OF T.U.C.

Mr. CLYNES looks back in an interview with IAN MACKAY



WHEN the Trades Union Congress met recently in Norwich there was only one delegate present who has attended every conference since Congress first started that city 43 years ago, Mr. J. R. Clynes, M.P.

In 1894 he was a young slip of a fellow not long out of the mill when he had to rise at 4 a.m. and walk nearly four miles to work.

Since then he has been leader of his union, chairman of the Labour Party and Home Secretary, His Majesty's principal Secretary of State.

In those 43 years Mr. Clynes has watched the trade union movement grow from what was little more than an underground conspiracy to become an open and honest element in the machinery of the State.

He has seen tremendous changes and played his own noble part in them; and today as he sits in St. Andrew's Hall his mind will go back over the years to the last Norwich Congress when the old Queen was still on the Throne and the Labour Party was still a far-off dream in the heads of a few "cranks" and malcontents.

I had a long talk with Mr. Clynes the other day and it occurred to me that it might interest and inspire some of the younger men at Norwich to hear what their movement has achieved since Mr. Clynes took the rostrum 43 years ago.

"What," I asked him, "do you consider to be the greatest change in the working class movement since the last Norwich Congress?"

"Undoubtedly," he replied, "the growth of the political side of the movement. For years after Norwich the whole purpose

The Trades Union Congress met recently at Norwich again for the first time since 1894. J. R. Clynes was the only delegate to attend both meetings, as well as every one in between.

"Some of the big unions spend thousands of pounds a year on thousands of pounds of work. But then, it is better to spend thousands on conciliation than tens of thousands on a strike."

"But as things are to-day the strike weapon cannot be abandoned. It is not its use but its very existence that acts as a curb on certain rapacious elements who still think that the best and end-all of industrial effort is to fill their own pockets."

This brought me to the question of strike action.

Mr. Clynes was quite emphatic on the matter. While the strike weapon had to be preserved as the workers' last line of defence, he said, it should never be resorted to until all else had failed.

"I would much rather that the boardroom, and not the battlefield, should be the industrial arena."

"With the development of joint industrial councils and trade boards the necessity for fighting things out in the old jungle manner is slowly disappearing. But in this the employers must play their part as well. The thing will settle itself in time as industry becomes more and more publicly controlled."

"The wireless and the motor-bus have enlarged the horizon of the workers from the parish pump to the ends of the earth. Why, when I started to work, the fastest thing on the roads was the horse tram."

"In all these things the trade union movement has played a leading, if not a decisive, part. It has worked for the benefit not only of a class but of the country as a whole."

The workers to-day were making much better use of their leisure.

The tremendous intellectual impact of Shaw, Wells and Chesterton had been more felt in the homes of the poor than anywhere else and the growth of public libraries, drama leagues, study circles and evening classes in the industrial centres was one of the most important cultural factors of the present time.

Finally, Mr. Clynes paid a tribute to the great contribution which Liberalism has made to the advancement of the common people.


"While the Liberal Party may no longer be strong," he said, "there is an immense volume of Liberal opinion still existing, and no Government of the future, whichever Party is in power, can disregard it."

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VALUED FRIENDSHIP

Yesterday we took pleasure in publishing a contributed article dealing with Portugal's modern evolution, dating from a period somewhat remote, eleven years ago, to the present era of progress and secure government. Portugal has reason to congratulate herself upon her achievement, and we take gratification from acknowledging the continuance of friendship on warmly and so frequently given and so positively demonstrated. In the Far East, Britain and Portugal have something in common. Both rule small but important colonies both are interested, more or less vitally, in the trade of those possessions; both are anxious to preserve their position. At a time like this, with a year ending almost within our shot of our centenary, it is natural that we should wish for harmony between our Government and Portugal. Fortunately, it is no natural that we should expect it. In the past Portugal has been a staunch ally. It can be recalled, without giving offence to anyone, that Portugal rallied to the cause of Britain and her other allies during the Great War. Portugal sent over 65,000 men to France; and another 35,000 served in Africa. All this in spite of restlessness at home, the coup d'etat of 1917. In the post-war period, Portugal was one of the first nations to find her feet politically, and though it was not until 1926 that the present popular system was made permanent, the seed was sown long earlier, and by dint of careful husbandry Portuguese leaders caught the benefits of political foresight and firm, honest, administration. The nobility of the young republic, which ruled the flag in 1910, served as guides for the administration of 1926. Since then Portugal has progressed in leaps and bounds.

People are prone to dream over much of their past glories. It is said to be a day of degeneration in men as well as nations, that the British do it and the Romans do it and there are few moderns who do not. Portuguese people have every right to pride themselves on their past greatness and the accomplishments of their statesmen, soldiers, sailors and reformers, just as they have to feel a swelling gratification that by their unrelenting labours they have won from a depressed

and dismal period of unrest and uncertainty into a bright present. What school-boy has not admired the old kings of the house of Burgundy who ruled in Portugal in the eleventh century? Who can fail to admire the vision of Prince Henry the Navigator, who laid the foundations of the Portuguese Empire? Who has not thrilled to the exploits of the fearless Diaz? Vasco da Gama's discovery of the sea route to India? Such men made Portugal the richest power of their day. And it was as long ago as 1640, when the Duke of Braganza was proclaimed king, that Portuguese fought for freedom, and won it, from greedy Spain. There are glorious spots in Portugal's history, and her present endeavours would indicate that she has every prospect of a more glorious future. To such a people, true patriots and fearless foes, Britons are happy to respond when they are offered friendship.

THE GOOD-NATURED COMEDIAN

One must indeed be young not to remember with becoming sadness the glories of the music hall which have now faded. It is only, after all, a short time ago that Vesta Tilley, Little Tich, George Formby, Harry Welch, Wilkie Bard, and others as illustrious could be seen, not in their heyday perhaps but certainly in the ripeness of their mastery. All of these names are in the memories of those who saw them, and we are in a quandary when we revisit the scene of former delights that personally has almost dried out of a stage that once was fairly soaked in the stuff. But even while we complain we are, as like as not, confronted with some modern comedian whose unconcealed self-confidence is clearly imposing itself upon the whole house. He is as clever as we can stick, and he knows it. If this comedian has not "personality" what comedian ever has? The youngsters who ask the question leave those who are—slightly but definitely—their seniors feeling that overnight they have become old fogies.

Yet it needs only the appearance of Miss Gracie Fields or Mr. George Robey to give someone an inkling of how the question should be answered. For there is a sense in which both these great comedians belong to the past. The contrasted humour which they exhibit rests on good nature, and of this quality, once the bedrock of music hall art, their younger rivals have singularly little. The typical comedian of the day has replaced good nature with a cynicism that may be extremely amusing but is at the same time hard, unfriendly, and a trifle patronizing. His cleverness is to be admired and he has his own ideas. Determined to put his songs and patter across, he indubitably succeeds. But he leaves the stage as he comes on to it—a stranger, or at best one more of those skilful fellows who keep the programme rattling with the mechanical precision and speed of a machine-gun. And as he goes we sigh for the comedians of the old school—"old" is lyric adjective No. 1 of the halls—who warned us with their genial art and endeared themselves, not by making wry comments upon human nature, but by being themselves solid, likeable lumps of it.

Survivors of that school must feel a little alarmed by the cleverness of the modern patter and a little shocked by the self-confidence which it has become the fashion to parade aggressively. It was their way to conceal self-confidence, and most of them relied on a mixture of broad comedy and sentiment which was hardly ever clever but somehow mirrored an aspect of life that their audiences recognized as real. And at least they were not what so many of their successors seem to be, anonymous. They stuck in the memory, and obstinately they persist into the present—where almost every joke has a cutting edge—the friendliest of ghosts.

Finally, Mr. Clynes paid a tribute to the great contribution which Liberalism has made to the advancement of the common people.

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RIFLE ASSOCIATION TO HAVE USE OF RANGES ON SUNDAYS

Negotiations With Command Headquarters Concluded

Happiest news members of the Hongkong Rifle Association (especially the civilian section) have heard for a long time was revealed by the Hon. Secretary, Major D. H. Steers, this week, when he announced that the long negotiations between the Association and Command Headquarters concerning the sharing of the golf course-cum-shooting range on Sunday had terminated successfully.

The concession is regarded as another vindication of the importance and necessity of the Rifle Association, which is one of the biggest in the British Empire, but whose facilities for pursuing its activities have been gravely restricted.

Although the Association is in the position immediately to use the ranges for practice on Sunday, in fairness to the Kowloon Golf Club the privilege will not be taken advantage of until November 28. Neither will any of the Sundays in December be used.

However, as from the New Year, the Association will be making more regular Sunday use of the ranges, and have earmarked the following dates:

January 30, February 27, March 27, April 24, May 22 and June 26. As already suggested, the use of the ranges on a Sunday is going to prove a big boon to the Rifle Association's members. It should particularly encourage the civilian members, whose opportunities hitherto for practice have been restricted, and many handicaps have had to be overcome.

OFFICIAL TIMES

The following official statement regarding the times for practice is comprehensive and of value to members.

The table given below shows the dates on which shooting will be held on the Army Ranges at Kowloon City during the 1937-38 season. Unless otherwise stated, the dates shown are Wednesdays.

Times of shooting are:—Wednesdays, from 2 p.m. to dusk. Sundays, from 9 a.m. (sharp) until 12.45 p.m.

In addition to the date given below, it is hoped that, as in the past years, the Royal Navy will help by allotting spare target accommodation on certain Saturday afternoons on the naval range at Stonecutters.

1937
September, 1; 8; 15; 22; 29.

U.S. Women's Golf Title

New York, Sept. 6.

The United States Golf Association has announced that the Women's Amateur Golf Championship will be held from October 4 to 9 inclusive, at the Memphis Country Club, Memphis, Tennessee. It is hoped that Miss Pam Barton, the present holder of the title will defend the championship.—*Reuter*.

October, 6; 13; 20; 27.

November, 3; 10; 17; 24; (Sunday)

December, 1; 8; 15; 22; 29.

1938

January, 5; 12; 19; 26; (Sunday)

February, 2; 9; 16; 23; (Sunday)

March, 2; 9; 16; 23; (Sunday) 27

and 30.

April, 4; to 11 (inclusive) Prize

Meeting; 20; (Sunday) 24 and 27.

May, 4; 11; 18; (Sunday) 22 and

25.

June, 1; 8; 15; 22; (Sunday) 26

and 29.

CLAY-PIGEON RANGE

Further evidence of the progressive character of the Rifle Association is shown in the announcement that in the very near future clay-pigeon shooting and miniature rifle shooting ranges will be added to the existing facilities for shooting practice. Undoubtedly both features will prove highly popular.

FUTURE OF GEM HOAHING

To Be Wimbledon Champion?

London, Sept. 21.

Little Gem Hoahing, girl tennis player from China, who recently did some giant killing at Eastbourne at the expense of women much more experienced than herself is planning to spend the winter in Cairo.

Or rather, her mother, who is a qualified doctor, planned it for her. Mrs. Hoahing has Gem's tennis future carefully mapped out. She thinks, in common with many others, that her 16-year-old prodigy has all the makings of a Wimbledon champion.

But Gem must be looked after, and so it is to be Cairo, where the climate is soft and warm; she is going to escape the rigours of an English winter.

The Hoahings naturally are accustomed to warmth, and would probably prefer their own land; but maybe China is a bit too hot just now, even for them.

FIRST RATE PRACTICE

The advantage of a stay in Cairo is that, in addition to a favourable climate, Gem will get some first-rate tennis practice. The Egyptian championships are due in March, and she is entering.

Last winter she was taken to the south of France, but found the weather too cold. She is in Paris now awaiting the French championships next week, but England will be her destination about next May, when it will be interesting to see what another year on her age will have done for her.

These brilliant youngsters do not always justify their promise in later years, but Gem has every chance of doing so, what with the first-class experience she is getting and a mother trained in medicine to guard her health.

PREPARATIONS FOR OLYMPIC GAMES ARE CONTINUED

TOKYO COMMITTEE REFUTE TALK OF CANCELLATION

1940 EVENT DEFINITELY TO BE HELD

Many rumours have been circulated of late regarding Japan's intention to decline the Olympic Games, to be held in Tokyo in 1940, and it will be with satisfaction that sportsmen all over the world will hail an authentic statement, issued by Dr. Matsuzo Nagai, General Secretary of the Organizing Committee of the Tokyo Olympic Games on the subject.

His statement reads: "For the past weeks, various rumours were noted to have been in circulation, some of them appearing in the Tokyo vernaculars, that Japan will decline the scheduled holding of the 1940 Olympiad in Tokyo. It must be stated here that all these rumours had no grounds whatever to rest on their authenticity. They were entirely contrary to the actual circumstance in which the matter at issue now stands."

The statement stresses that although there is no doubt that the international situation in the Far East is "strained" at the present moment, the fundamental stand maintained by Japan has undergone no changes whatever. "It has always been the sole desire and determination of Japan to strive toward a firm establishment of the peace in the region and the belief that the ominous cloud now overshadowing will soon pass away is entertained by the nation."

PREPARATIONS GO ON

A resolution was passed by the Olympic Committee of the Municipality of Tokyo on September 8, that preparations for the holding of the Games in Tokyo in 1940 should continue. The Japanese Government, it was stated, has made no gesture indicative towards declining the 1940 Olympiad.

The origin of the rumours concerning likely abandonment of the 1940 Games by Japan is traced to the recent decision of the Japanese Army authorities to temporarily withdraw seven officers from the Equestrian team. It was considered that in view of the Sino-Japanese "incident," it was undesirable for officers in active service to devote themselves entirely to preparation for the Olympiad.

This decision aroused much comment in all quarters and some people even suspected that it meant the abandonment of the whole of the Olympic Games.

PROGRAMME ACCEPTED

With the return of the Japanese delegate to the International Olympic Committee session, held at Warsaw some months ago, preparations for the Games have gone on apace. The delegate submitted to the Warsaw conference a programme for the Tokyo Games and this was accepted almost in toto.

The programme of the 1940 Olympiad adopted at the Conference is as follows:—

Sports:—Athletics, Boxing, Cycling, Equestrian Events, Fencing, Gymnastics, Modern Pentathlon, Rowing, Shooting, Weight-Lifting, Swimming, Wrestling, Yachting and "Art Competitions."

Games will include, "Association Football, Water Polo, Hockey and Basketball."

Demonstrations will also be given by Japanese athletes of the original national sports Judo and Baseball. Handball and Canoeing are listed on the programme, but in the event that less than five countries announce their intention to compete, these contests will be eliminated.

FOREIGN ADVISERS

Two foreign experts have been invited by Japan to act as technical advisers to the Tokyo Olympic Games Organizing Committee. They are Mr. W. Klingenberg, who had charge of the Berlin Olympiad and Mr. M. Zentzky, famous designer of bob-sleigh courses. The latter will take up duties as adviser for the Sappers Winter Games. The problem of what to present to champions of the Tokyo Olympiad

was recently studied. At the Berlin Games, champions were given gifts of young oak trees.

Opinions of athletic organizations on the question were sounded and from various expressions received, it appears that many are in favour of presenting swords to men champions and mirrors of ancient Japanese style to women champions. In some quarters, it is proposed that the glorio tree should take the place of the oak at the Tokyo Games.

The idea of presenting swords to champions is not new and is in fact quite a popular procedure in Japan. Recently, a group of visiting American wrestling champions were each presented with a Japanese sword, a short weapon of about 19 centimetres, the blade being about 11 centimetres long.

TOMMY FARR REPLIES TO SILLY TALK

New York, Sept. 8.

TOMMY FARR was fighting again to-day, but his opponent was the "Yellow Press," not the "Brown Bomber," Joe Louis.

Dealing with the remarks attributed to him, the British heavyweight champion denied that he is going to retire.

"That's just rot!" he said, "I expect to be fighting here often." He also denied that he is "fed up with America." On the contrary, he told a gathering of New Jersey worthies, including Governor Hoffman: "You've all been grand to me here."

SOFTBALL LEAGUE ENTRIES

The closing date of entries for the Hongkong Softball League has been extended to Thursday at 5 p.m.

Any Club desirous of joining must do so by notifying the Secretary Mr. W. A. Smith, care of China Mail, before that time.

Interport Football Hopes

Shanghai Think It Possible

Despite the present unsettled conditions, the Executive Committee of the Shanghai Football Association have decided to formulate plans for an Interport series to be held in February.

This is revealed by the Shanghai Times, which adds that Hongkong will be invited to send a team. Shanghai, under existing arrangements, are to visit Tientsin at Easter of next year, but it has not been decided whether this fixture will be held. The Committee are of the opinion that discussion on the subject at the present time is a little premature.

With the exception of the abandonment of the Sunday Morning League, no other section of the Shanghai Football programme for the season has been affected.

The Royal Ulster Rifles, champions of the Hongkong League last season, have not entered a team, as was hoped by Shanghai enthusiasts. Soccer "fans" will, however, have the opportunity of seeing them perform at the start of the season for they will play in the League until the Durham Light Infantry arrive to take over the fixtures.

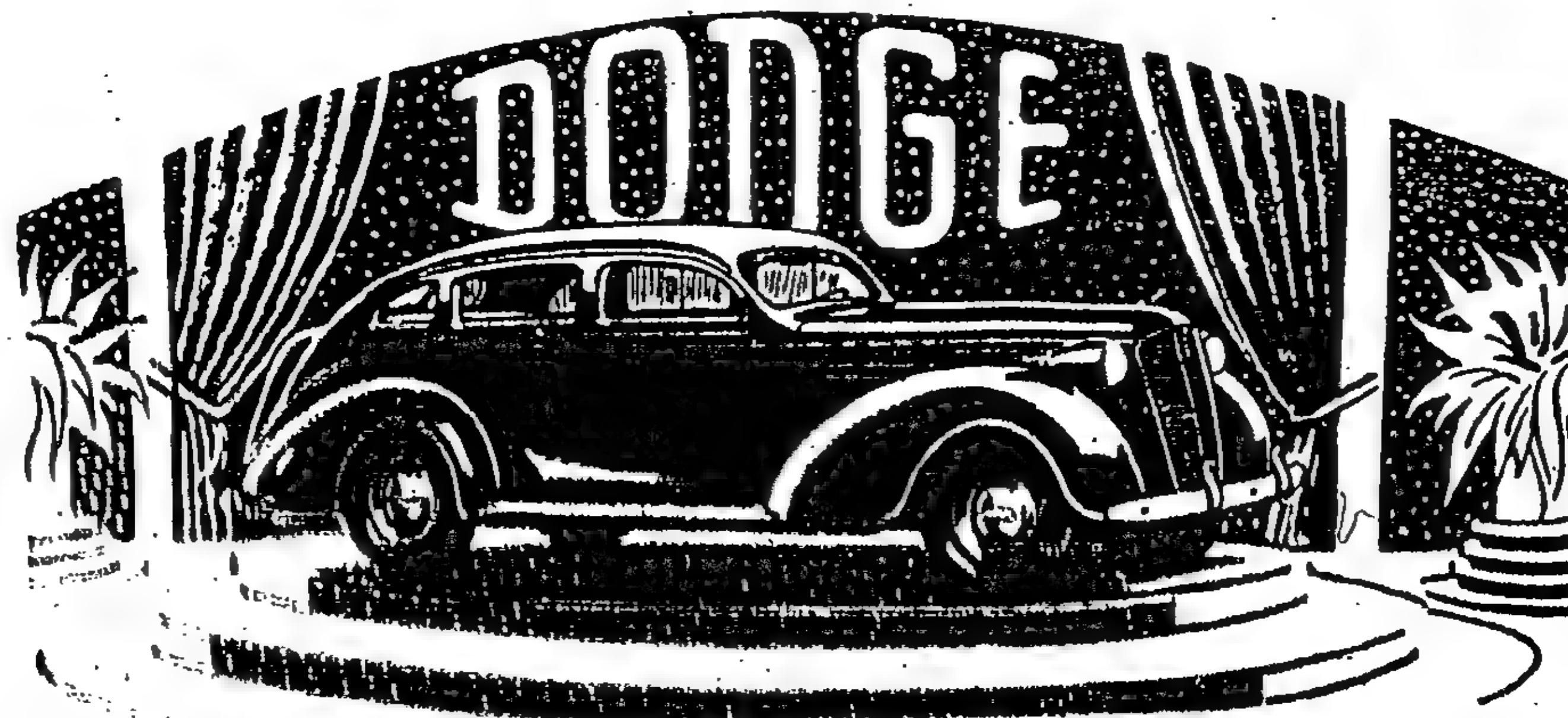
TENNIS STAR INJURED

Los Angeles, Sept. 10. Miss J. Jedrzejowska, the Polish player, who reached the final of both the Wimbledon and American women's lawn tennis championships this year, injured her foot in the train on the way here, and may have to cut her U.S. campaign short.

She came here for the Pacific South-west championships. An X-ray examination will be made to see whether any bones are broken.

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WORLD SERIES BASEBALL

Yankees Favoured To Win

New York, Oct. 5. The New York Yankees are favourites at two to one to win the World Series against the New York Giants.

Betting is 3-2 against the Giants winning Wednesday's first game, in which two left-handed pitchers will be in opposition. Carl Hubbell will be turning out for the National League winners and "Lefty" Gomez will be on the mound for the Yankees.

The latter team have the advantage of ground as the match will be played at the Yankee Stadium.

The weather forecast is "Cloudy, probably showers." Speculators are selling 30 shilling cents for £3 each.

Hotels are packed and a record crowd of 70,000 is expected if rain holds off.—Reuter.



Lyda Roberti and Patsy Kelly in "Nobody's Baby" showing to-day at the King's Theatre.

FOOTBALL LEAGUE Programme For The Week-End

The following are the football league fixtures for the coming week-end:

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9 First Division

Kowloon Chinese v. Kowloon (Kowloon, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Kossick.
Linsmen:—Brotherwell and Hill.
Club v. South China "B".
(Club, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Finch.
Linsmen:—Farr and John.
Seafarths v. Police.
(Sookunpoo, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Ip.
Linsmen:—Edwards and Hudson.
St. Joseph's v. Eastern.
(Causeway Bay, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Barton.
Linsmen:—Andrews and P. Silva.

Second Division

Club v. Kowloon.
(Club, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Jones.
Engineers (Europeans) v. Kwong Wah.
(Causeway Bay, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—D. T. Smith.
Seafarths v. Eastern.
(Sookunpoo, 3.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Rees.
Police v. 5th Bde. R.A.
(Caroline Hill, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—L. A. French.
Third Division (Hongkong).
Service Corps v. 5th Bde. R.A.
(St. Joseph's 4.30 p.m.).

Referee:—D. G. French.
Stanley v. Enfreere.
(Military H.V., 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Barretto.
Powhattan v. Police.
(St. Joseph's, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Farr.

Third Division (Kowloon).

Portuguese S. Assn. v. 24th Battery.
(King's Park, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Silva.
Royal Signals v. 20th Battery. R.A.
(Chatham Road, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Broadwell.
Seafarths v. University.
(Chatham Road, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Stone.
Kumaon Rifles v. Air Force.
(Prince Edward Road, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Demmee.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10 First Division

South China "A" v. Middlesex.
(Caroline Hill, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Omar.
Linsmen:—Morecroft and Barretto.

Second Division

South China v. Middlesex.
(Caroline Hill, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Day.
Third Division (Hongkong).
Ordnance v. Medicals.
(Sookunpoo, 3.00 p.m.).
Referee:—Johns.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 11 First Division

South China "A" v. Eastern.
(Caroline Hill, 4.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Isley.
Linsmen:—G. D. French and Haveluar.

Cricket For Week-End

Hongkong Team v. The Rest

(By "Abe")

Unusual interest has been aroused in local cricket circles by a fixture arranged by the League to be played during the Double Tenth holiday between a Hongkong XI and "The Rest."

Originally the match was intended to be Hongkong v. Mainland, but mature consideration has resulted in the present game being arranged.

Two strong sides have been selected. A. W. Hayward will lead the Hongkong XI, and Frank Goodwin will captain the "Rest." The game will be played on the Kowloon C. C. ground, starting at 2 p.m. on Saturday and 11 or 11.30 a.m. on Monday.

Owing to the fact that several of those originally selected cannot turn out, changes are now necessary and the teams will be announced as soon as possible.

I understand that Alec Pearce, who played for Kent in the County Cricket Championship during his home leave, will be back in time for the match. He has been included in the Hongkong XI, and will definitely play, I am told.

Baseball Trading

New York, Oct. 5. The Brooklyn Dodgers baseball outfit to-day announced that they have traded outfielder Cooney, infielders Butler and Stripp, and pitcher Henshaw for the St. Louis Cardinals' short-stop Durocher. Cash is not involved in this exchange.—United Wireless.

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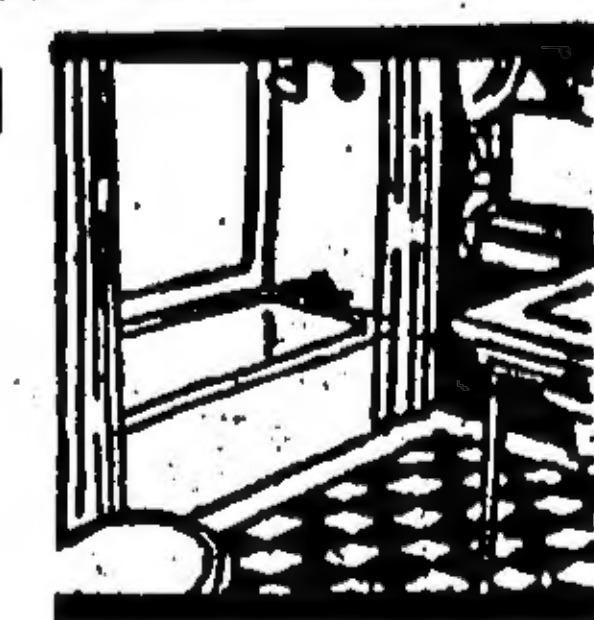
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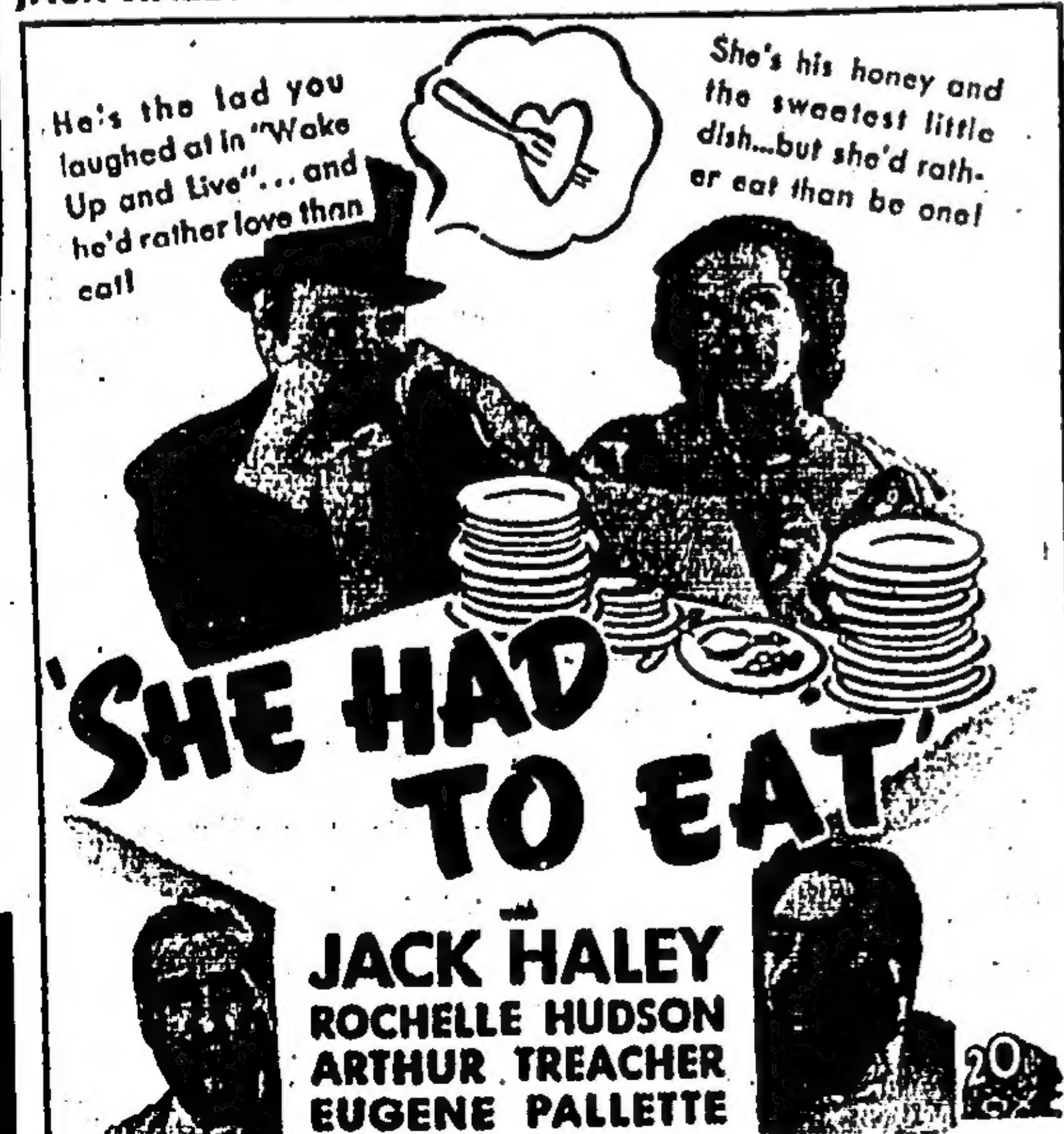
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Pres. Coolidge	10.00 a.m. Nov. 13	Pres. Grant	Midnight Nov. 19
Pres. Taft	8.00 a.m. Dec. 1	Pres. Jackson	Midnight Nov. 19
Pres. Hoover	8.00 a.m. Dec. 11	Pres. Jefferson	Midnight Dec. 3
Pres. Lincoln	8.00 a.m. Dec. 20	Pres. McKinley	Midnight Dec. 17

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Pres. Adams	8.00 a.m. Nov. 7	Pres. McKinley	6.00 p.m. Oct. 24
Pres. Harrison	8.00 a.m. Nov. 21	Pres. Monroe	8.00 a.m. Oct. 19
Pres. Polk	8.00 a.m. Dec. 5	Pres. Grant	6.00 p.m. Oct. 30
Pres. Pierce	8.00 a.m. Dec. 19	Pres. Coolidge	9.00 p.m. Nov. 5

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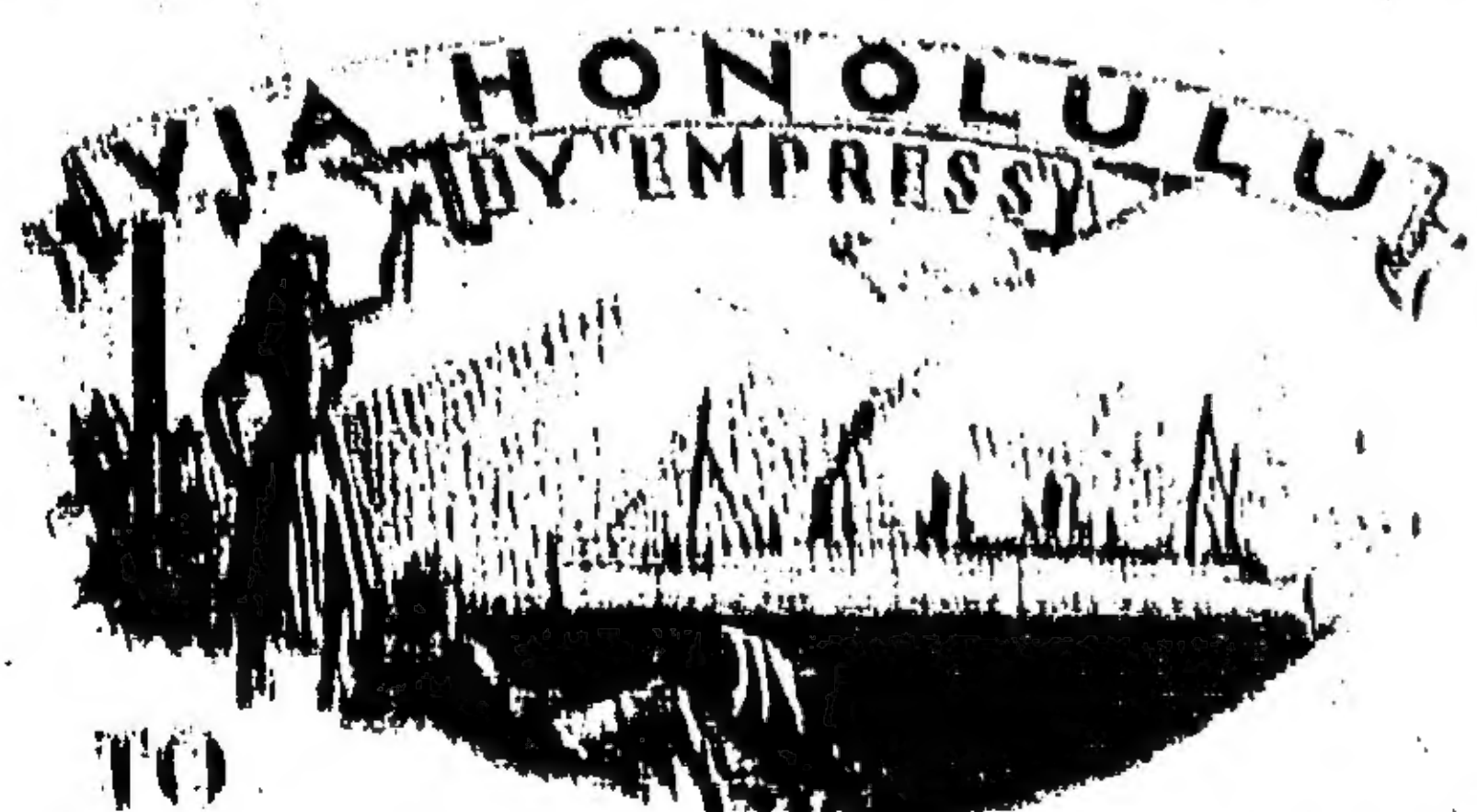
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Banks.
H.K. Banks, \$1,575 b.
H.K. Banks, (Lon. Reg.), £205 1/2 n.
Chartered Bank, £13 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B., £33 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank, C., £15 n.
East Asia Bank, \$20 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$275 n.
Union Ins., \$225 b.
China Underwriters, \$13 1/2 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$255 n.

Shipping.
Douglas, \$48 1/2 n.
H.K. Steamships, \$10 s.
Indo-China (Pref.), \$51 b.
Indo-China (Def.), \$43 b.
Shell (Bourer), 10 1/2 n.
Union Waterboats, \$9.30 n.

Ducks etc.
H.K. & K. Wharves, \$113 n.
H.K. & W. Ducks, \$20 1/2 n.
Providents (old), \$2.05 ss.
Providents (new), 80 cts. n.
New Engineering, Sh. —
Shanghai Ducks, Sh. —

Mining.
Kailan Mining Adm., 10/6 n.
Rubs, \$10 1/2 n.
Venz, Goldfield \$5 n.

Philippine Mining.
Antamok, P. 61
Atokis, P. 10 1/2
Bugala Gold P. —
Benguet Consol., P. 10.00
Benguet Explor., P. —
Big Wedge, P. 56
Consolidated Mines, P. 621
Demonstrations, P. 43 1/2
E. Mindanao, P. —
Gumaus G'fields P. —
Ipo Gold, P. 61
I.X.L. P. 61

Land.
H. and S. Hotels, \$5 b.
H.K. Lands, \$30 n.
H.K. Lands, 4 1/2 Dohen, \$100 n.
Shai. Lands, Sh. —
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. —
Humphries, \$8 1/2 n.
H.K. Realities, \$47 n.
Chinese Estates, \$80 n.
China Realities, Sh. —
China Deben, —

Public Utilities.
H.K. Tramways, \$13.70 b.
Peak Trams, (old), \$5 b.
Peak Trams, (new), \$2 1/2 b.
Star Ferries, \$70 n.
Yaumati Ferries (old), \$22 1/2 n.
China Light, \$10.80 n.
China Light (new), \$10 1/2 n.
H.K. Electric, \$54 b.
Macao Electric, \$10 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$14 1/2 n.
Telephone (old), \$25 n.
Telephone (new), \$8 1/2 b.
China Buses, Sh. —
Singapore Traction, 23/9 n.
Singapore Pref., 23/— n.

Industrial.
Cold Mng. (old), Sh. —
Cold Mng. (Pref.), Sh. —
Canton Ice, \$1.00 n.
Cement, \$12.10 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$3 1/2 b.

Stores, &c.
Dairy Farm, \$24 1/2 n.
Watson, \$1.50 n.
Lane Crawford, \$8.00 n.
Sinceres, \$1.50 n.
Wing On (K.I.), \$40 n.
Wm. Powells, 40 s. b.

Cotton Mills.
Ewa Cottons, Sh. —
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. —
Zoong Sing, —
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$20

Miscellaneous.
H.K. Entertainments, \$5.00 n.
Constructions (old), \$1.60 n.
Constructions (new), \$1.60 n.
Vibro Piling, \$4 1/2 b.

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

Bela Dance Orchestra: Vocal—Daddy (Lemon-Behrend); The Children's Home (Weatherly-Cowen)... Teddie Harcourt (Boy Soprano) with Chorus: Harcourt—For You Only—Serenade (Boulanger); Let Us Dream—Serenade (Robrecht)... George Boulanger and His Orchestra; Humorous—The Return Of Abdul Abulbul Amir (Crumly); I'm Bettin' The Roll On Roamer (Curtis and Crumly)... Frank Crumly (Tenor); Vocal—Just Once For All Time (Him 'Congress Dances)... Irene Elinger (Soprano); Piano Duet—Aln' She The Dainty; I Want A Fair And Square Man (both from 'Aunt Sally')... Carol Gibbons and John W. Green; Vocal W. Orchestra—Vieni Vieni (Koger, Varma and Scott); The Whiffenpoof Song (Minnigerode, Pomeroy and Galloway)... Rudy Vallee and Male Quartette with Carroll Gibbons and His Orchestra; Comedienne—Gert And Dalsy And The Tandem; Huntin'... Elsie and Doris Waters; Orchestral—Lamentol—Tango (Muck-Caros); Land Of Magic—Tango (Winkler)... Heinz Supperla and His Orchestra; Comedian—George Formby Medley... George Formby with His Ukulele; Fox-Trots—In A Little French Casino; Smile When You Say Goodbye... Jay Wilbur and His Band.
11.00 Close Down.

Ch. Govt. 5 1/2 1915 GSBds. 8 1/2 n.
H.K. Govt. 4 1/2 Loan 7 1/2 p.m. n.
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2 Loan 2 1/2 n.
Wallace Harpers, \$5 n.
Marsmans Ins., (Lon.), 2/- 23/9 n.
Marsmans, Ins., (H.K.), 2/- 3/9 b.

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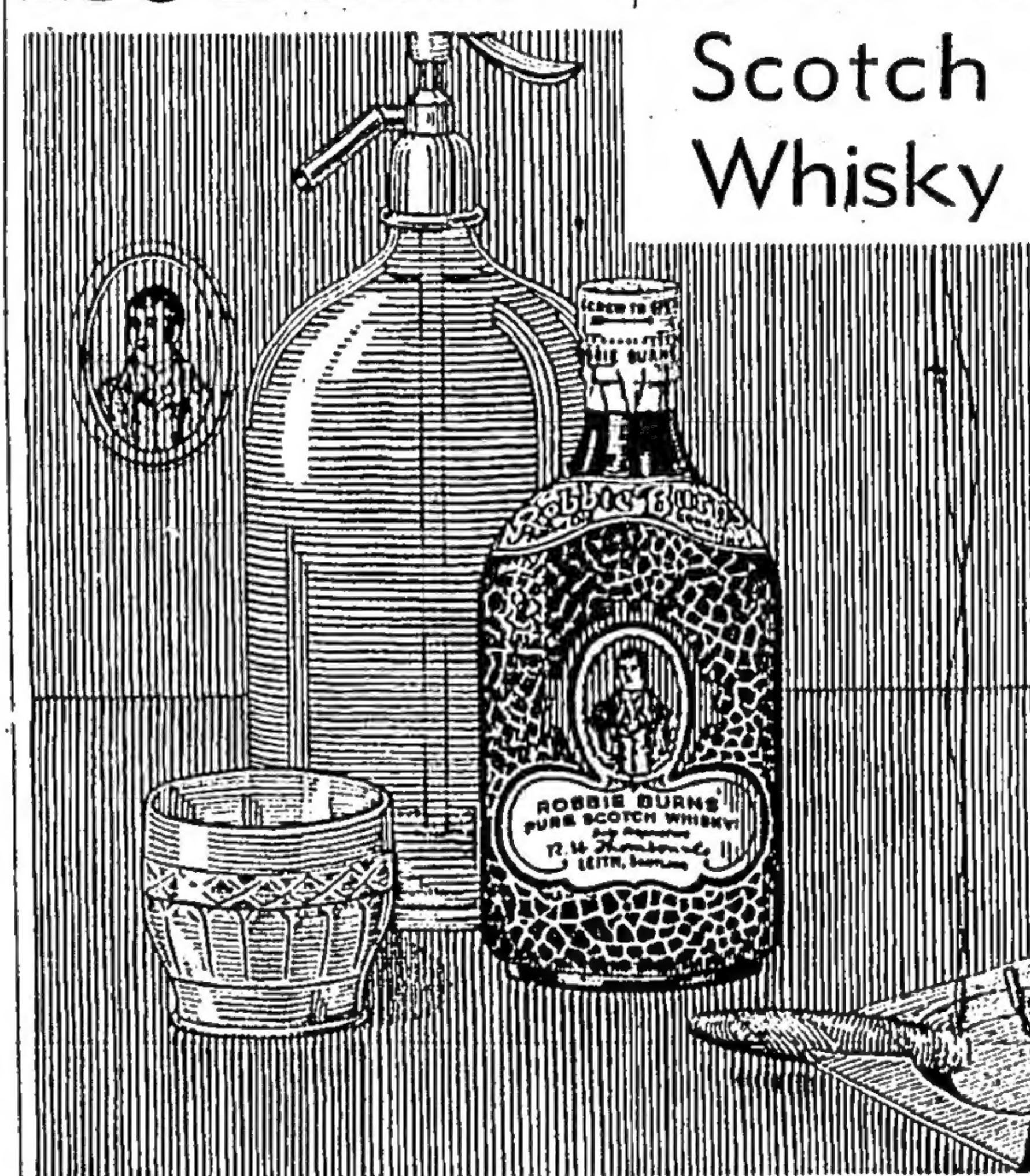
	Oct. 4	Oct. 5
Paris	150 1/2	150 1/2
Geneva	21.50	21.52 1/2
Berlin	12.34 1/2	12.32 1/2
Athens	547 1/2	547 1/2
Milan	94 1/2	94 1/2
Copenhagen	22.40	22.40
Stockholm	10.39 1/2	10.39 1/2
Oslo	10.00	10.00
Helsingfors	22 1/2	22 1/2
Shanghai	1 1/2	1 1/2
New York	4.05 1/2	4.05 1/2
Amsterdam	8.90 1/2	8.95 1/2
Vienna	20 1/2	20 1/2
Prague	141 1/2	141 1/2
Madrid	Nom.	Nom.
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Hongkong	1/3	1/3
Bombay	1/8 1/2	1/8 1/2
Montreal	4.05 1/2	4.05 1/2
Brussels	20.42	20.39 1/2
Kokohama	1/2	1/1.63/64
Belgrade	210	210
Montevideo	30 1/2	30 1/2
Rio de Janeiro	4 1/2	4 1/2
Silver (Spot)	19 1/2	19 1/2
Silver (forward)	19 1/2	19 1/2
War Loan	101 1/2	101 1/2

—British Wireless.

MEDICAL LECTURE

Professor Preston Maxwell, M.D., F.R.C.S., F.R.C.O.G., of Peking Union Medical College, known as "Father of Obstetrics in China" will give a lecture on "Adult and Fetal Rickets" with lantern slides, on Tuesday, October 12, at 5.30 p.m., in the School of Surgery, Hongkong University. All interested are welcome.

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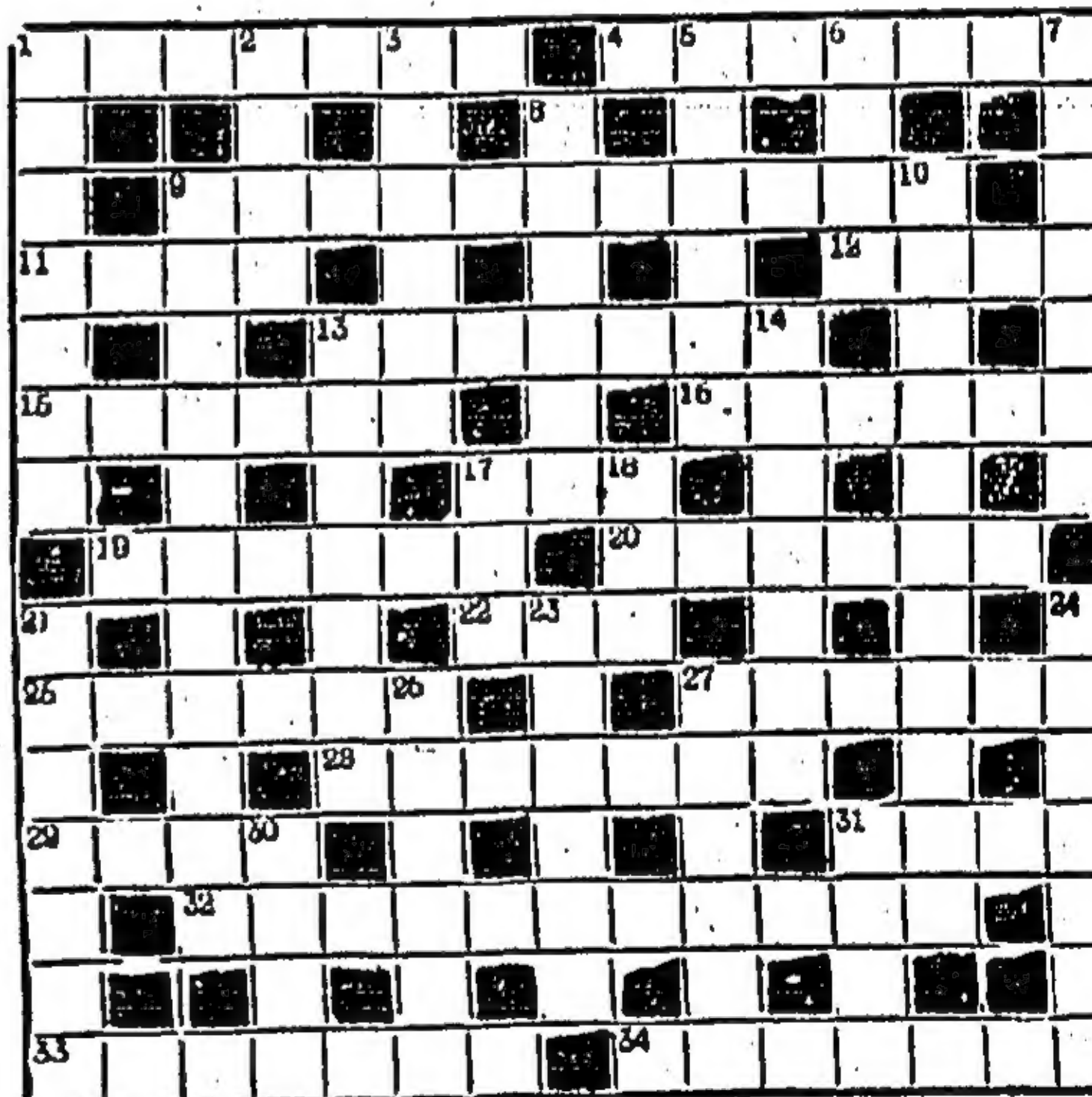
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- 9 Makes for safer railways (two words, 5, 6).
- 11 Of bank notes possibly, or exchanged with a couple of fifties.
- 12 The name of the parlormaid who broke every day.
- 13 Ask in some paper.
- 15 Points (anagram).
- 16 May go all the way from London to Brighton with a couple of pages following them.
- 17 Known to the Governor.
- 19 Withdraw in a trance.
- 20 Abstracted.
- 21 Attention.
- 22 Every Corpus man should get this.
- 27 Wants an ant to put on the other side of the world.
- 28 Recount.
- 29 Black air.
- 31 At the head of the chapter.
- 32 Depend on dripping for their existence.
- 33 Esparto (anagram).
- 34 In irritable fashion.

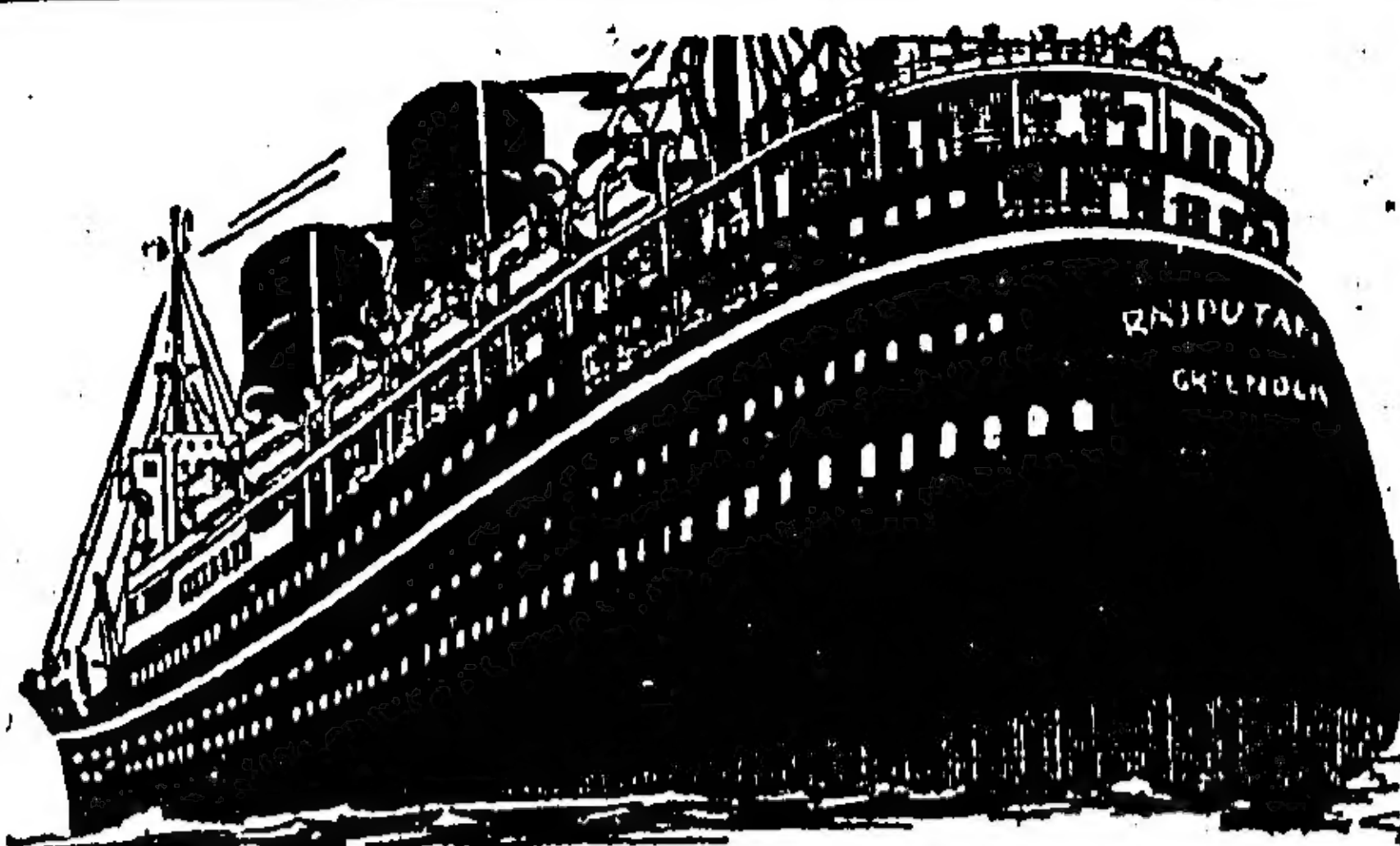
DOWN

- 1 A female Moroccan need never despair of one day becoming a London Lord Mayor.
- 2 Supply of water that doesn't sound any too bad.
- 3 Not so long ago centre displaced.
- 4 Declare.
- 6 It's hurried in poetry.
- 7 Streetfast pledge.

- 8 Is prosecuted or published.
- 9 The inside of this old weapon is beneath a vehicle.
- 10 There's someone pulling the strings when they get to work.
- 13 Is rather half hanged in the land of Omar.
- 14 Everyone the solver makes helps the rubber market.
- 17 Consumed.
- 18 Instance of present-day progress.
- 21 A wine.
- 23 A large portion of the world.
- 24 You won't see much of this on the Tube.
- 26 Often seen at a 33 Across.
- 27 Garments that are half the rage.
- 30 Full at the finish of one sentence.
- 31 Dextrous.

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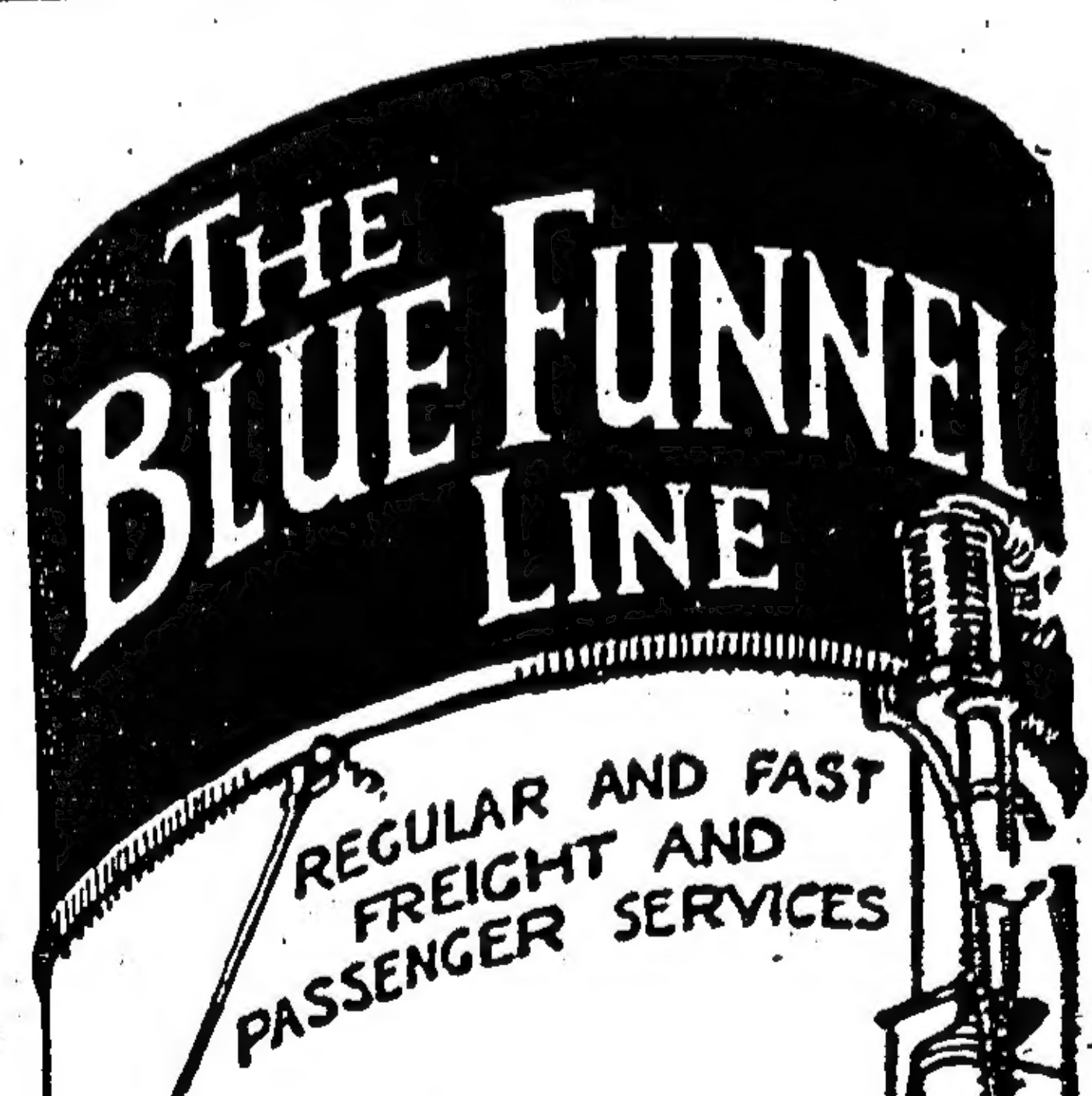
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A KING'S WORK AND WORRY

By ELISSA ST. JOHN

FEW people realise the tremendous amount of business which the King gets through every day. The biggest industrial magnate in the world has a very easy time compared with the ruler of the world's biggest Empire.

On every important State matter, and on many others not so important, the King must be informed or consulted. All Cabinet decisions have to be conveyed to him, and he also expects to be informed of the various debates in Parliament. It was once the custom for the Prime Minister of the day to send a nightly letter to the Sovereign giving a resume of the discussions in the Commons, but this has now been discontinued.

It is said that Queen Victoria's dislike of Gladstone was largely due to the fact that he was in the habit of sending her long-winded, closely written, and much involved accounts of the debates, which she was unable to follow.

King George learns of the proceedings in Parliament from newspaper cuttings prepared by members of his secretariat staff and from confidential informants. Confidential informants are sent daily from the Prime Minister either orally or by documents. The latter are despatched in a special box marked "The King," and not even the King's private secretary has a key to open this box. There are only two keys in existence, one owned by the King and the other by the Premier.

Under the Pillow

Some years ago King George V mislaid the key of this secret box, and there was a frantic search for it. Not for several hours was it found—lying on a seat in the summer house in the gardens of Buckingham Palace. The present King carries the key on a small chain attached to his vest pocket. The Prime Minister adopts the same practice. At night the precious keys repose under the owners' pillows.

The messengers who convey boxes to and from the Palace or wherever the King is residing are all highly trusted and confidential servants, and when travelling either long or short distances are shadowed by armed detectives. Should a train carrying a Royal messenger be involved in an accident, the detectives having full power to act in any way they consider fit to save the documents from falling into unauthorised hands.

All Cabinet Ministers have the entrée to the Royal presence, but in practice no one calls on the Sovereign without first receiving a command.

or requesting an audience. Not for over a century has a British Sovereign refused to see a Prime Minister, and both the latter and the Archbishop of Canterbury have a virtual right to see the King at any hour of the day or night if business warrants.

The King has secret telephone numbers which are only known to his secretariat, Ministers, and personal friends, and to safeguard further the State and private matters code words are also used. The telephone exchanges in the Royal residences are specially constructed so that no operator can "listen in" to conversations on the line. When the King lifts up one of his private receivers he expects to hear first the code word for the day, and if this is not at once forthcoming he rings off, even though he may recognise the voice.

Voice limitation in connection with Royal phone messages has not been unknown in the past, especially during the Great War, and no risks can be taken.

Weekly Codes

When the King is absent from London scores of code telegrams are sent to him almost every day, besides dozens of despatch boxes. The special code used between the Prime Minister and the King is known to themselves alone, and is used only when matters of great importance are being telegraphed. The other codes in use are deciphered by the King's secretaries, and all of them are the last word in complexity, being devised weekly by the code experts at the Foreign Office, the Admiralty and the War Office. Queen Victoria and King George V liked codes and the trouble of deciphering them, but both King Edward VII and Edward VIII cordially detested them. The present King, as an old Navy man and one who is interested in codes as such, takes them as a matter of course. Visitors, Court functions, and public engagements are almost as heavy a strain in preparation as they are in execution. Every visitor who is summoned to meet the King is made the subject of "potted biography" by the secretarial staff, and this is placed in front of the King, who is thus able to ask those questions which are appropriate. Despite the greatest care, mistakes are bound to happen.

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